

1998 Town Report



Teamwork

Sanbornton, New Hampshire

❖ TOWN OF SANBORNTON TELEPHONE DIRECTORY ❖

TOWN OFFICES

Town Clerk.....	286-4034
Tax Collector.....	286-4034
Selectmen's Office.....	286-8303
Assessment Records.....	286-8303
Planning & Zoning.....	286-8303
Fax Transmissions.....	286-9544

EMERGENCY NUMBERS

General Emergencies.....	911
Police Department.....	286-4323
To Report a Fire.....	524-1545
Ambulance Service.....	524-1545
Crimeline.....	286-2200

FACILITIES & OTHERS

Fire Department (Non-Emergency).....	286-4819
Health Officer.....	524-2288
Historic District Commission.....	286-4986
Planning Board.....	286-4526
Recreation Commission.....	286-4574
Sanbornton Public Library.....	286-8288
Town Garage.....	286-8252
Transfer Station/Recycling Center.....	934-7173
Zoning Board of Adjustment.....	524-8243

SCHOOLS

Sanbornton Central School.....	286-8223
Winnisquam Regional Middle School.....	286-7143
Winnisquam Regional High School.....	286-4531
Sant Bani School (private).....	934-4240
Montessori House of Children (private).....	934-3007



Town Office Address

Mailing: P.O. Box 124 Sanbornton, NH 03269
Location: 573 Sanborn Road, in the Town Square

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ANNUAL REPORT OF THE
TOWN OF SANBORTON
NEW HAMPSHIRE



FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1998

❧ DEDICATION ❧



JEAN P. AUGER

Jean Paul Auger is truly a Sanbornton man. He was born here October 26, 1925, on the farm his Grandfather purchased on Hale Road in 1914. Four years ago, he moved back to his family's farm - not that he had far to move, as he has always lived in this town.

He has always worked here, too. He worked with his Father on the Auger's Dairy Farm, until it ceased operation in 1968. He then took a job on Sanbornton's Highway Department working under Road Agent Robert Gilman. When Mr. Gilman died in 1973, he was appointed to complete the Road Agent's term of office. The following year, he ran for the position and remained Road Agent for the next twenty-four years. He took great pride in the fact that in all those years, he never campaigned for the position. The job came first in his life, above family and friends, and he felt the job he did was all the advertising he needed. He gained a reputation for honesty and hard work and was always to be seen working alongside his men. He was also known to be a taciturn man. He never catered to individuals, always making the needs of the Town and all its residents, his priority. This did not always make him popular, but it did allow him to do his job fairly and well.

Vacations were never as high on his list as was his job. Back in the 1960's, his wife did, however, get him to take two month-long vacations, and they took their family on two cross country camping trips. After a year of planning for another such trip in 1997, he wouldn't go, for he had scheduled road repairs and wouldn't leave while they were being done. In 1980, he and his wife purchased land on the ocean in New Brunswick, Canada, and built a vacation home there. For the first time in years, he was willing to vacation, although usually only for a few days at a time.

In 1950 he married Evelyn Corliss, and they raised their family (Michael, Paul, Carole, Gregg and Christopher) in Sanbornton. Now, in "retirement", Jean is back farming on the family farm. He's still committed to the job, which today is tending his cattle, haying in the summer, and cutting wood. Vacations still are not a priority, and their motor home has only been out of the barn and onto the road twice in the three years they've owned it.

Jean's love of his hometown was never expressed in fancy words or showy gestures. It was shown in his care of and total dedication to Sanbornton.

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☞ RECOGNITIONS ☞

As we review the year, we recognize certain individuals who have passed on, yet whose long time contributions have made our community a better place for all. With appreciation and many fond memories, we remember Warren Wilson, Laurie VanValkenburgh, Judith Perkins and Earl Leighton.

Warren Wilson

Overseer of Public Welfare, Town Custodian, Assistant Moderator, Life-long resident. Warren is remembered for his love of Sanbornton and for his kind and generous way. He had a gruff facade, but behind that facade was a kind and gentle man. Warren was always ready to help a neighbor. He was compassionate and fair in carrying out his duties. Warren maintained the town facilities as he would his own home. He was always available to deal with an emergency and routinely took it upon himself to initiate improvements.

Laurie VanValkenburgh

Town Treasurer, Building Committee Member. Laurie ably served the town as Treasurer and contributed much to the design and construction of the life safety building. We appreciate her valuable and untiring efforts to bring this project to completion. An involved parent and active member of Sant Bani Ashram, Laurie's untimely passing is a loss felt in many areas of our community.

Judith Perkins

Judith, together with her husband Russell, a long time resident of Sanbornton, was instrumental in the establishment of Sant Bani Ashram. From this, the Sant Bani School grew, again under their guidance and direction. Judith taught English classes, played the piano for musical performances, and for many years was an active participant in the daily life of the school and the Ashram. We commend her dedication and contributions that played a large part in developing the school and the Ashram into such notable assets to our community.

Earl Leighton, Sr.

Solid Waste Committee Chair, Sewer Committee, Trustee of Trust Funds, School Committee. "Mayor" Earl Leighton spent countless hours guiding the town on solid waste disposal issues, and was instrumental in bringing sewer service to many of the properties along Lake Winnisquam. Especially notable was his support for our summer residents. He was always available to assist them settling in the spring, closing up for the winter and with many projects in between. For many of our residents, he was their connection to the Town of Sanbornton.

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❧ **ELECTED OFFICIALS AND STAFF** ❧

Board of Selectmen

William Tobin, Chairman (96-99)

Thomas Salatiello (97-2000)

Peter Hibberd (98-2001), resigned

Evelyn Auger (appointed 98-99)

Staff

Joanne T. Dover, Administrative Assistant

Terry L. Hersh, Bookkeeper

R. Scott Littlefield, Assessor

Carol Anne Olson, Assessment Records Clerk

Wayne D. Smart, Zoning Enforcement Officer

Kathleen Surowiec, Planning and Zoning Assistant

Budget Committee

James C. Wells, Chairman (98-2001)

Kent Chapman, Vice Chairman (96-99)

Ralph S. Carter (96-99), resigned

John Dodge (98-2001)

Wayne Elliott (97-2000)

Steve Surowiec (97-2000)

Edwin LeBel (appointed 98-99)

William Tobin, Selectmen's Representative

Recording Secretary

Carol Anne Olson

Highway Department

Ralph Carter, Road Agent (98-99)

Chad Elliott

Joel Ellis

Ed Griffin, resigned

Mark Jenness

George Groblewski, Part Time

Moderator

Donald P. Foudriat (98-2000)

Overseer of the Public Welfare

Dolly Elliott (98-99), resigned

Jane Shattuck Fox (appointed 98-99)

Sanbornton Public Library

Library Trustees

Steve Ahlgren (98-2001)

Dolly Elliott (97-2000)

Lola L. Morse (98-2001)

Mildred Shaw (96-99)

Russell Spearman (96-99)

Library Staff

Priscilla Bodwell, Librarian

Kathleen LeBel, Assistant Librarian

Patricia Kraft, Library Assistant

Deborah Boisvert, Library Aide

Supervisors of the Checklist

Sheila Dodge (98-2004)

Emma S. Gosselin (94-2000)

Donna Laughy (96-2002), resigned

Joseph W. Seymour (98-2002)

Town Clerk - Tax Collector

Jane Goss (96-99)

Lurana Joslyn, Deputy

Treasurer

Susan Shannon (96-99)

Trustee of Trust Funds

Wayne Elliott (97-2000)

Peter Hibberd (97-99), resigned

Edwin P. LeBel (98-2001)

Daryl Woods (appointed 98-99)



State Representatives to the General Court

Gordon Bartlett (98-2000)

Robert Laflam (96-98)

Thomas Salatiello (98-2000)

**APPOINTED BY SELECTMEN****Building Needs/Town Park Committee**

Wayne Elliott, Chairman
Henry Angle
Ralph Carter, resigned
Peter Hibberd, Secretary
Ralph Jesseman
Edwin LeBel
Bill Tobin, Selectmen's Representative

Cemetery Committee

Edwin LeBel, Chairman
Peter Hibberd ♦ Sally Hibberd
Mildred Shaw
Elaine Swain

Conservation Commission

Wayne Elliott, Chairman (98-2001)
Wayne Smart, Vice Chairman (96-99)
Ralph Jesseman (98-2001)
Donald Miller (98-2001)
Faith Tobin (98-2001)
Harold Graham, Alternate
Gordon Craig, Alternate
William Tobin, Selectmen's Representative
Dorothy Driscoll, Alternate & Recording Secretary

Fire Department

Jon B. Sanborn, Fire Chief
Steve Surowiec, Deputy Fire Chief
Stan Barnes, Captain
Bruce McLaughlin, Captain
Mark Foster, Lieutenant
Craig Simpson, Lieutenant
Scott Taylor, Lieutenant

Firefighters

Ben Burlingame	Greg Sanderson
Gary Courtney	Russ Spearman
Chris Hurd	Linda Surowiec
Steve Houten	Rick Taschereau
Jennifer LeBel	Eric Weeks
Deborah Livernois	Ray Smith
Greg Pabst	Doug Sargent

Forest Fire Warden

Jon B. Sanborn

Deputy Wardens

Robert Bodwell Winsor Braley

Duncan Craig Mark Foster

Richard Gray Craig Simpson

Steve Surowiec

Health Officer

Everett Joslyn

Highway Safety/Transportation Advisory Committee

Wayne Elliott, Chairman (97-2001)

Wayne Smart, Vice Chairman (95-99)

Roger Pelletier (98-2001)

Richard Robinson, Police Chief

Ralph Carter, Road Agent

Jon B. Sanborn, Fire Chief

William Tobin, Selectmen's Representative

Recording Secretary

Carol Anne Olson

Historic District Commission

Priscilla Bodwell, Chairwoman (96-99)

Karen Bartlett, Secretary (98-2001)

Philip Bodwell (97-2000)

Don Kent (97-2000)

Thomas Kuhner (98-2001)

Brian O'Connor (98-2001)

Linda Salatiello, Alternate (98-2001)

Thomas Salatiello, Selectmen's Representative

Lakes Region Planning Commission

Earl Leighton, Jr., Town Representative

Old Graveyards and Cemeteries

Martha Douglass, resigned

Sally D. Hibberd

Office of Emergency Management

Stanley Barnes, Director

Katie Surowiec, Deputy Director

Planning Board

John Grobman, Chairman (98-2001)
Evelyn Auger (97-2000), resigned
Scott Beckett (98-2001)
Jack Potter (98-2001)
Donald Foudriat, Alternate (97-2000), resigned
Carol Anne Olson, Alternate (97-2000)
Linda Salatiello, Alternate & Secretary (98-2001)
Tom Salatiello, Selectmen's Representative, resigned
Evelyn Auger, Selectmen's Representative
Katie Surowiec, Planning & Zoning Assistant

Police Department

Richard Robinson, Chief of Police
Marc Barton, Sergeant
Patrolmen
Stephen M. Hankard
Stephen Houten
Gavin B. MacDonald
Kevin W. Roy, resigned
Marc Nichols, Part Time, resigned
Newman Daley, Part Time, resigned
Tracy N. Trammel, Part Time
Patrick M. Clarke, Part Time
Scott A. Atherton, Part Time
Animal Control
Donald Carpenter
Secretary
Trisha A. Goss

Recreation Commission

Peter Thompson, Chairman (97-2000)
Joann Boyce (97-2000)
Lisa Hull (98-2001)
Michelle Manning (98-2001)
Bruce Tibbetts (98-2001)
Bill Klubben, Advisor
Staff
Dolly Elliott, Coordinator

Solid Waste Disposal Committee

Robert C. White, Chairman (98-2001)
Patricia Shattuck, Alternate
Mary O'Neil, Facility Manager
Ralph S. Carter, Road Agent
Evelyn Auger, Selectmen's Representative
Recording Secretary
Dorothy Driscoll

Zoning Board of Adjustment

James VanValkenburgh, Chairman (96-99)
Jean Surowiec (98-2001)
Frank Tibbetts (96-99)
Dennis Pancoe (97-2000)
Philip Bonafide (97-2000)
Alternates
Raymond Beaupre (97-2000)
Ann Littlefield (96-99)
William McCarthy (97-2000)
Elaine Townsley (96-99)
Recording Secretary
Natalie Rudzinskyj

BOARD OF SELECTMEN'S REPORT

January started out with a bang! Just eight days into the year, and we were faced with an ice storm that today, a year later, we are still cleaning up. Power lines and trees just snapped from the weight of the ice in many parts of town. Significant tree damage occurred on Steele Hill, Hunkins Pond Road, Perley Hill Road, Eastman Hill, Woodman Road, Burleigh Hill, and in the Square.

Our thanks to those who volunteered, and to our highway, police, fire and emergency management personnel for their tireless efforts. Special thanks to Erin Roark and Kelly Muraszko of Girl Scout Troop #2639 for initiating a volunteer cleanup of the roadsides. Federal and state disaster funds are available to the town, and we have received \$38,875 in FEMA funds to date.

In June, the rains came. Sanbornton was among a number of communities eligible for assistance to clean up and rebuild town roads, and \$18,601 has been received from FEMA. We anticipate receiving state funds in 1999. Again, our thanks to the highway department and emergency personnel for helping us through this one.

We undertook several initiatives in 1998. The assessor has started a review of sections of the town as the first step in a multi-year, town-wide review of property. While no changes were implemented in 1998, property along Lake Winnisquam was reviewed, and the data has been assembled. Other sections of town are scheduled to be done in 1999. Once complete, we will be able to adjust values without a town-wide revaluation. We have also initiated a review of options to update our tax maps. Conversion from a paper copy to a digitized format is the first step, and we intend to move forward on this, following town meeting.

We addressed job descriptions and compensation for our town employees this past year. Job descriptions were formulated for a number of employees and wages adjusted to bring our town employees in line with their responsibilities and with compensation levels in other communities of similar size. Developing a structured step program and reworking the personnel policy are projects planned for 1999.

The Sanbornton-Franklin town line was perambulated in 1998. The Tilton and Meredith lines are on the agenda for 1999. It is an interesting, and sometimes challenging, part of our job. For those who might have an interest, we welcome your participation. Thanks to Hal Graham for his help on the Franklin line.

The building needs committee has presented the selectmen with a report, detailing space and other facility needs. We intend to review the proposals in detail during 1999, and will bring forward recommendations in 2000. There are several areas that do need immediate attention, and we look to address

(Board of Selectmen continued)

them in 1999. Some of the maintenance items will be addressed through funds from the building improvement fund. We believe the larger projects, such as replacing the roof on the life safety building, the foundation and sill work on the town hall, and repair of the salt shed will need to be funded over several years. Our heartfelt thanks to the building needs committee volunteers who donated their time and energy to paint the town offices. Wayne Elliott, Ralph Carter, Ed Lebel, Bruce McLaughlin, and Mary O'Neil, thank you.

Long time selectman Daryl Woods stepped down in March, and Peter Hibberd, who had taken his seat, found it necessary to resign in November. Our thanks to Daryl and Peter for their contributions to the board, and to Evelyn Auger, who agreed to serve out Peter's term. She has been a valuable addition!

As always, we wish to remember and thank our many volunteers for their work on behalf of the town. Whether you coach a soccer team, serve on a board or committee, paint a town building, manage our town property, or assist our residents in emergency situations, your contributions are appreciated. Volunteer participation is a major element of a "community." Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Bill Tobin, Chairman

Tom Salatiello

Evelyn Auger

OFFICIAL BALLOT OF THE TOWN OF SANBORNTON

MARCH 10, 1998

Pursuant to the warrant for the 1998 Town Meeting, the Moderator, Donald Foudriat opened the polls at 7:00 AM on March 10, 1998. Of the 1653 registered voters, 37% took part in the election. A Total of 506 ballots were cast including absentees.

At 2:00 PM Absentee Ballots were processed. 17 ballots were accepted.

The polls closed promptly at 7:00 PM. The results of the counting of the ballots follows:

Budget Committee

(3 Year Term)

John T. Dodge	420
James Wells	305

Edwin P. Lebel	162
Guy Giunta Jr.	6
Brian Gallagher	3
Peter Hibberd	3
Mike Roy	1
Robert Laflam	1
Scott Littlefield	1
Will Ellis	1
William Shepard	1
David Swain	1
Kevin Roy	1
Guy Giunta	1
Richard Robinson	1
Mary Fields	1
Ben Burlingame	1

Library Trustee

(3 Year Term)

Steve Ahlgren	437
Lola L. Morse	402

Brian Gallagher	6
Betty Weiant	2
Daryl Woods	2
Guy Giunta Jr	1
Steve Fillion	1
Dave Fillion	1
Jane Fox	1
Kathy Lebel	1
Peter Hibberd	1
Robert Bouvier	1
Gail Robillard	1
Nax Gilman	1
Ginnie Pederson	1

Overseer of Public Welfare

(1 Year Term)

Dolly Elliott	239
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Jane Shattuck Fox	156
Joan Carlson	148
Don Foudriat	2
Daryl Woods	2
Richard Robinson	1
Brian Gallaher	1
Terry Hersh	1
Martha Douglass	1

Moderator

(2 Year Term)

Donald Foudriat	543
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John Grobman	1
Jon Sanborn	1
Ralph Carter	1
Ed Lebel	1
Mark Foster	1

*(Official Ballot continued)***Road Agent****(1 Year Term)****Ralph S. Carter 256**

Jean P. Auger 245

Bradley Laughy 77

Shirley "Ed" Griffin 24

David Welch 1

Selectman**(3 Year Term)****Peter F. Hibberd 316**

Wayne S. Elliott 201

Edwin P. LeBel 60

Daryl Woods 1

John Dodge 1

Jim Wells 1

Bill Tobin 1

Supervisor of Checklist**(4 Year Term)****Joseph W. Seymour 521**

Daryl Woods 2

Sheila Dodge 2

Donna Laughy 2

Guy Giunta 1

Mary O'Neil 1

Richard Robinson 1

Peter Hibberd 1

Mrs. Auger 1

Supervisor of Checklist**(6 Year Term)****Sheila Dodge 36**

Daryl Woods 21

Brian Gallaher 5

Jane Goss 5

Donna Laughy 5

Bill Cole 5

Linda Salatiello 4

Emma Gosselin 4

Guy Giunta Jr 3

Kevin Roy 3

Guy Giunta 3

Joseph Seymour 3

Wane Elliott 3

Mary O'Neil 2

Martha Wilson 2

Jane Fox 2

Elizabeth Cotsibas 1

Barbara Gardner 1

Betty Bouchard 1

Doug Fillion 1

Nina Gardner 1

John Purple 1

Earl Leighton Jr 1

Barbara Akerman 1

Eddie Griffin 1

Richard Larnivel 1

Ralph Jesseman 1

Evelyn Auger 1

Phyllis Auger 1

Gail Robillard 1

(Ballot-Supervisor of Checklist continued)

Andrew Dagoumas	1
Ros Leighton	1
Richard Robinson	1
Ralph Carter	1
Donna Sanville	1
Steve Ahlgren	1
Philip Chickering	1
Linda Griffin	1
Karen Hurd	1
Ed LeBel	1

Trustee of Trust Funds**(3 Year Term)****Edwin P. LeBel 378**

Brian Gallagher	4
Guy Giunta	4
Daryl Woods	3
Bonnie Roy	3
Robert Bodwell	2
Joseph Seymour	2
Jim Wells	2
Ralph Carter	2
Betty Weiant	2
Steve Ahlgren	1
Peg LaFlam	1
Lurana Joslyn	1
Sue Shannon	1
Wayne Blackey	1
Scott Littlefield	1
William Shepard	1
Peter Gauthier	1
Lola Morse	1
John Dodge	1
Wayne Elliott	1
Don Foudriat	1
Jane Goss	1
Jean Goss	1
Barbara Whetsone	1
William Whalen	1
Dolly Elliott	1
John Grobman	1
Berry Livingston	1
Michael Gilman	1
Edna Hansen	1
Sally Hibberd	1

RECOUNT OF 1998 ELECTION RESULTS

March 20, 1998

A recount was ordered for the position of Road Agent, The Moderator, Donald P. Foudriat called the meeting to order at 4:00 PM, March 20, 1998 at the Town Office.

The Moderator read the application for a recount, filed by Jean Auger, on March 12, 1998 at 3:39 PM.

Town Clerk, Jane Goss, submitted copies of letter's mailed to all candidate's stating time and place of recount.

Results of recount are as follows:

Jean P. Auger.....	245
Ralph S. Carter.....	257
Bradley Laughy.....	77
Shirley "Ed" Griffin	23
Uncast Ballots	9

Total count of ballots 611, Final results was declared. The winner for 1998 Election for the race of Road Agent is **Ralph S. Carter.**

Meeting was adjourned at 4:45 PM.


Jane Goss
Town Clerk

RESULTS OF THE VOTE ON QUESTIONS**Question 1.**

Shall we adopt the provisions of RSA 40:13 to allow official ballot voting on all issues before the Town? By Petition.

YES 278 NO 282

Question 2.

Shall we modify the elderly exemptions from property tax in the town of Sanbornton, based on assessed value, for qualified taxpayers, to be as follows: for a person 65 years of age up to 75 years, \$10,000; for a person 75 years of age up to 80 years, \$15,000; for a person 80 years of age or older \$20,000. To qualify, the person must have been a New Hampshire resident for at least 5 years, own the real estate individually or jointly, or if the real estate is owned by such person's spouse, they must have been married for at least 5 years. In addition, the taxpayer must have a net income of not more than \$18,400 or, if married, a combined net income of less than \$25,400; and own net assets not in excess of \$35,000 excluding the value of the person's residence.

YES 490 NO 68

**RESULTS OF THE VOTE ON ZONING AMENDMENTS****Amendment #1**

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 1 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Amend Article 5 (A)(5) to redefine how we measure the frontage of lots in the General Agricultural Zone, which are located on the exterior curve of a cul-de-sac. The dimension of 220 feet shall be determined by measuring between points on each side line which are located thirty feet from the front property line.

Yes 385 No 149

Amendment #2

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 2 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Amend Article 6 (3) to redefine how we measure the frontage of lots in the General Residence District which are located on the exterior curve of a cul-de-sac. This dimension of 175 feet shall be determined by measuring between points on each side line which are located thirty feet from the front property line.

Yes 367 No 166

(Vote on Zoning Amendments continued)

Amendment #3

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 3 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Amend Article 7 (A)(5) to redefine how we measure frontage for lots in the Forest Conservation District, which are located on the exterior curve of a cul-de-sac. This dimension of 600 feet shall be determined by measuring between points on each side line which are located thirty feet from the front property line.

Yes 378 No 145

Amendment #4

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 4 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Amend Article 8 (A)(3) to redefine how we measure the frontage for lots in the Recreation District, which are located on the exterior curve of a cul-de-sac. This dimension of 175 feet shall be determined by measuring between points on each side line which are located thirty feet from the front property line.

Yes 378 No 144

Amendment #5

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 5 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Amend Article 8 (A)(7) to clarify that when a seasonal dwelling is converted for year-round living purposes, it must conform to the same minimum frontage and area provisions which apply to dwellings in the General Residence District.

Yes 414 No 117

Amendment #6

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 6 as proposed by petition for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Amend Article 8(8)(a) to eliminate the conflicting septic setback for the Recreational District. The minimum would be 100 feet from the edge of a public water body and 75 feet from a well.

Yes 410 No 116

(Vote on Zoning Amendments continued)

Amendment #7

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 7 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Amend Article 10 (F) to clarify that a site plan is only required for any new and/or expanded commercial use of land in the Commercial District.

Yes 395 No 120

Amendment #8

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 8 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Amend Article 11 to include a Paragraph B which describes the location of the Highway Commercial District and identifies the subsequent section, "Amendment to Zone", as Paragraph (C).

Yes 377 No 118

Amendment #9

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 9 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Amend Article 14 (III)(C) to eliminate the conflicting septic setback in the Shorefront District. The minimum will be 100 feet from the shoreline.

Yes 432 No 96

Amendment #10

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 10 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Amend Article 14 (III)(E) to cite the correct statute number for beach and dock construction as RSA 482, and the correct permitting agency as NH Department of Environmental Services Wetlands Bureau.

Yes 418 No 99

Amendment #11

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 11 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Amend Article 14 (IV) to cite the correct statute for shorefront construction as RSA 482 A:3, and the correct permitting agency as the NH Department of Environmental Services Wetlands Bureau.

Yes 422 No 96

(Vote on Zoning Amendments continued)

Amendment #12

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 12 as proposed by petition for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Amend Article 15 (A)(2) to cite the correct statutes which grant authority to the Town of Sanbornton to establish a Wetlands Conservation District Ordinance.

Yes 382 No 143

Amendment #13

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 13 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Amend Article 15 (C)(1)(a) to define a wetland in the Wetlands Conservation District according to NH and Federal standards.

Yes 408 No 114

Amendment #14

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 14 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Amend Article 15 (C) (2) to determine wetland boundaries in the Wetlands Conservation District according to NH and Federal standards.

Yes 399 No 122

Amendment #15

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 15 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Amend Article 15 C (3)(b) to expand the technical assistance for the Planning Board to include environmental consultants, when there is a discrepancy in the location of a wetland boundary. Any necessary investigation or study shall be conducted at the expense of the landowner, applicant, or developer.

Yes 354 No 172

Amendment #16

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 16 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Amend Article 15 (E)(1) to cite the statute as RSA 482 and permitting agency for uses permitted in prime wetlands in the Wetlands Conservation District. The permitting agency is the NH Department of Environmental Services Wetlands Bureau.

Yes 377 No 133

RESULTS OF THE SCHOOL BALLOT
WINNISQUAM REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
MARCH 10, 1998

Moderator**(1 Year Term)**

Kenneth A. Randall	538
Tilton	347
Northfield	253
Total	1138

Donald Foudriat	6
Bob LaFlam	1
Jan Sanborn	1
Brian Gallagher	1
Bonnie Roy	1
Tom Abbott	1

School Board Tilton Candidate**(3 Year Term)**

Larry Prince	320
Tilton	227
Northfield	222
Total	769

Robert E. Lozeau	198
Tilton	76
Northfield	139
Total	413

Jim Dodge	1
Suki Clark	1
Roger Abbott	1
Douglas Wright	1

School Board Northfield Candidate**(3 Year Term)**

Robert M. Mazur	495
Tilton	299
Northfield	262
Total	1056

Carl Fletcher	5
Stewart Clifford	1
Chuck Flanders	1
Linda Haires	1
Chad Frazier	1
Brian Gallagher	1

School Board Sanbornton Candidate**(3 Year Term)**

Mary Ahlgren	417
Tilton	214
Northfield	225
Total	856

Hans T. Onsager	170
Tilton	126
Northfield	65
Total	361

Mark Latham	1
Sally Hibberd	1
James Laughy III	1

1998 TOWN MEETING MINUTES

Town of Sanbornton
State of New Hampshire
March 11, 1998

The 1998 Town Meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM by the Moderator, Donald P. Foudriat. Voters were reminded to check with the Supervisors of the Checklist. Under the guidance of Joann Boyce, Cub Scouts Pack 282 and Girl Scout Troop 2639 presented the flags. Pledge of Allegiance was led by Matthew Boyce, of Boy Scout Troop 248. The invocation was led by Reverend Paul Klouse. The Moderator then called for a moment of silence to remember those Sanbornton residents who passed away including Harry A Morse, Jr., to whom the 1997 Town Report was dedicated. Introductions of town officials were made. Appointment of Assistant Moderators, Scott Taylor and Richard Gardner were made.

Presentations were made by Selectman, Bill Tobin as follows:

In appreciation for many years of dedication to the town, as a member of the Board of Selectmen, Daryl Woods was presented a plaque.

Arthur Dowling was thanked for his dedicated service to the Town of Sanbornton as Chief of the Sanbornton Fire Department from 1985 to 1997. Arthur was not present to receive his plaque.

The Moderator read the results of the ballot count of March 10, 1998. Ballots were cast by 611 registered voters (37% of the 1653 registered voters).

The Moderator requested identification of any handicapped voters who may need assistance.

The Moderator's rules were then read.

A motion was made to waive the reading of the Warrant in its entirety. The motion was seconded and so voted.

The Selectmen called to the Moderator's attention, an error made in the town report. On page 34 it should read, Add: Overlay \$144,240 and a correction should be made.

An explanation of the new format of the Warrant was given by the Moderator.

A motion was made to call Article # 22 to the floor, it was seconded and so voted.

(Town Meeting Minutes continued)

Article 22. Report of Budget Committee

To receive the report of the Budget Committee of appropriations voted.

Budget Committee Chairman, James Wells reported on the budget presented by the committee. The total figure is \$1,718,301. The income side of the budget is \$802,753. If all articles pass, as recommended by the budget committee, the amount to be raised by taxes is \$915,548. If any changes are made on the articles during the evening, we will update these figures.

Motion to place Article #22 on the table, it was seconded and so voted.

Article 1. General Government

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$412,891 for general government. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Not recommended by the Budget Committee.

Executive Expense	\$42,500	Budget Committee recommends
		\$41,000
Elections and Registration	2,700	
Financial Administration	98,700	
Revaluation of Property	18,500	Budget Committee recommends
		\$17,500
Legal Expense	8,000	
Personnel Administration	140,860	
Planning and Zoning	28,079	Budget Committee recommends
		\$27,780
General Government	30,200	
Buildings		
Cemeteries	2,000	
Insurance	39,781	
Other General Government	<u>1,571</u>	
	\$412,891	

The following amendment was offered:

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$410,092 for general government. Not recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Recommended by the Budget Committee.

(Amendment to Article 1 continued)

Executive Expense	\$41,000
Elections and Registration	2,700
Financial Administration	98,700
Revaluation of Property	17,500
Legal Expense	8,000
Personnel Administration	140,860
Planning and Zoning	27,780
General Government Buildings	30,200
Cemeteries	2,000
Insurance	39,781
Other General Government	<u>1,571</u>
	\$410,092

The amendment was Accepted.

Article #1 as amended was Accepted. (Yes 92 No 55)

Article 2. Planning and Zoning Assistant

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000 to fund a Town planning and zoning assistant who will work for the Town thirty-two (32) hours per week. The position will be funded by combining these funds with \$22,267 currently budgeted for planning services contracted through the Lakes Region Planning Commission. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Not recommended by the Budget Committee.

Article #2 was Accepted as read.

Article 3. NHMA Pooled Energy Plan

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,222 to pay for certain studies of electric load profiles within the Town and other related research in furtherance of the possible aggregation of the Town's and/or its residents' and businesses' electric loads in the New Hampshire Municipal Association Pooled Energy Plan in preparation for deregulation of the electric industry in New Hampshire. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Not recommended by the Budget Committee.

Article #3 was Defeated.

Article 4. Public Safety

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$320,671 for public safety. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Not recommended by the Budget Committee.

(Article 4 continued)

Police Department	\$223,896	
Police Department Details	15,275	
Fire Department	59,400	Budget Committee recommends \$57,400
Emergency Management	2,400	Budget Committee recommends \$2,000
Forest Fire Control	1,000	
Winnisquam Fire Department	14,700	Budget Committee recommends \$13,800
Highway Safety Committee	1,500	
Street Lighting	<u>2,500</u>	
	\$320,671	

The following amendment was offered:

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$317,371. for public safety. Not recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Recommended by the Budget Committee.

Police Department	\$223,896
Police Department Details	15,275
Fire Department	57,400
Emergency Management	2,000
Forest Fire Control	1,000
Winnisquam Fire Department	13,800
Highway Safety Committee	1,500
Street Lighting	<u>2,500</u>
	\$317,371

The amendment was Defeated. (Yes 65 No 77)

Article #4 was Accepted as read.

Article 5. Fire Department Employee

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$15,000 to fund the hiring of a full time employee of the Sanbornton Fire Department. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Not recommended by the Budget Committee.

A petition was presented requesting a ballot vote with the required 5 signatures, it was seconded and so voted.

Article #5 was Defeated. (Yes 70 No 83)

(Town Meeting Minutes continued)

Article 6. Maintenance of Highways

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$301,154 for the maintenance of highways. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Maintenance of Highways	\$297,354
Street Signs	800
Town Bridges	<u>3,000</u>
	\$301,154

Article #6 was Accepted as read.

Article 7. Highway Block Grant

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$81,320 to be received from the Highway Block Grant to be used to improve portions of Woodman Road. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article #7 was Accepted as read.

Article 8. Petition to Pave Dr. True Road

To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$90,000 to reclaim and hot top Dr. True Road from its junction with Lower Bay Road to its junction with Maple Circle. By Petition. Not recommended by the Board of Selectmen and not recommended by the Budget Committee.

Article #8 was Defeated.

Article 9. Improvements to Dr. True Road

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000 for the purpose of repairing drainage and replacement of a culvert on Dr. True Road. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Not recommended by the Budget Committee.

Article #9 was Accepted as read.

Article 10. Ice Storm Response and Cleanup

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$30,000 for the purpose of response and clean up of debris from Town roads resulting from the ice storm in January, 1998; and to authorize the Selectmen to apply for, contract for and accept grants of federal or state aid or both, as may be available and to do all things necessary to carry out the purposes of this appropriation. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

(Article 10 continued)

The following amendment was offered:

To amend Article 10 to read \$80,000 instead of \$30,000.

The amendment was Defeated.

Article #10 was Accepted as read.

Article 11. Town Roads Assessment

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,500 to undertake a complete assessment of Town roads by University of New Hampshire engineering students. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article #11 was Defeated.

Article 12. State Aid Construction

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000 to be added to the funds already appropriated for State Aid Construction projects. Said funds to be matched 2:1 by the State of New Hampshire. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article #12 was Accepted as read.

Article 13. Waste Disposal

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$135,920 for waste disposal. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Not recommended by the Budget Committee.

Solid Waste Disposal	\$105,571	Budget Committee rec.
		\$103,580
Household Hazardous Waste Disposal	959	
Winnepesaukee River Basin Program	<u>29,390</u>	
	\$135,920	

The following amendment was offered:

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$133,929 for waste disposal. Not recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Recommended by the Budget Committee.

Solid Waste Disposal	\$103,580
Household Hazardous Waste Disposal	959
Winnepesaukee River Basin Program	<u>29,390</u>
	\$133,929

*(Article 13 continued)***The amendment was Defeated****Article #13 was Accepted as read.****Article 14. Health and Welfare**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$60,766 for health and welfare. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Not recommended by the Budget Committee.

Health Department	\$3,250	
Animal Control	700	
Youth Assistance Program	21,891	
LR Community Health & Hospice	4,500	Budget Committee rec. \$4,400
LR Family Services	2,625	
LR Community Services	200	
New Beginnings	1,000	
Community Action Program	1,127	
Humane Society	373	
Welfare	<u>25,100</u>	
	\$60,766	

The following amendment was offered:

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$60,666 for health and welfare. Not recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Recommended by the Budget Committee.

Health Department	\$3,250
Animal Control	700
Youth Assistance Program	21,891
LR Community Health & Hospice	4,400
LR Family Services	2,625
LR Community Services	200
New Beginnings	1,000
Community Action Program	1,127
Humane Society	373
Welfare	<u>25,100</u>
	\$60,666

The amendment was Defeated.**Article #14 was Accepted as read.**

(Town Meeting Minutes continued)

Article 15. Culture, Patriotic Purposes and Conservation

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$61,364 for culture, patriotic purposes and conservation. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Sanbornton Public Library	\$57,829
Patriotic Purposes	200
Moulton's Band	2,000
Conservation Commission	<u>1,335</u>
	\$61,364

The following amendment was offered:

To decrease Moulton's Band amount by \$200.00

The amendment was Defeated.

Article #15 was Accepted as read.

Article 16. Library Acceptance of Gifts

To see if the Town will vote to adopt the provisions of RSA 202-A:4-d authorizing the library trustees, indefinitely until specifically rescinded, to accept gifts of personal property, other than money, which may be offered to the library for any public purpose, provided, however, that no acceptance of personal property by the library trustees shall be deemed to bind the town or the library trustees to raise, appropriate or expend any public funds for the operation, maintenance, repair or replacement of such personal property.

Article #16 was Accepted as read.

Article 17. Recreation

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$34,806 for the Sanbornton Recreation Commission. Said appropriation to be offset by \$18,206 in expected revenues from the Recreation Commission Revolving Non-Lapsing Fund. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. The Budget Committee recommends receipt of \$20,806 from the Recreation Commission Revolving Non-Lapsing Fund.

The following amendment was offered:

To change the offset from \$18,206 to \$20,806.

The amendment was Defeated.

Article #17 was Accepted as read.

(Town Meeting Minutes continued)

Article 18. Debt Service, Equipment and Capital Outlay

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$151,599 for debt service, equipment and capital outlay. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Debt Service Long Term Bonds	\$25,355
Interest Tax Anticipation	55,000
Vehicles Lease-Purchase	43,776
Culvert Replacement	1,775
Tank Removal Cleanup	10,000
Police Department Computer Upgrade	13,993
Highway Department Radios	<u>1,700</u>
	\$151,599

Article #18 was Accepted as read.

Article 19. Repair of Library Steeple

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$12,500 for the repair of the steeple at the Sanbornton Town Library. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article #19 was Accepted as read.

Article 20. Withdrawal from Capital Reserve for Town Park

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,000 for improvements at the Town Park on Shaw Hill Road, and to authorize the withdrawal of said funds from the Capital Reserve for the Town Park. Improvements are to include the parking area and the field. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article #20 was Accepted as read.

Article 21. Payments to Capital Reserve Accounts

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$110,500 for placement in capital reserve accounts. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Not recommended by the Budget Committee.

(Article 21 continued)

Town Building Improvement Capital Reserve	\$15,000	
Sanitary Landfill Capital Reserve	25,000	
Fire Department Capital Reserve	30,000	
Heavy Equipment Capital Reserve	25,000	
Winnisquam Fire Department Capital Reserve	3,000	
Rescue Vehicle Capital Reserve	5,000	Budget Committee rec. \$2,000
Repair and Refurbishing Capital Reserve	<u>7,500</u>	Budget Committee rec. \$5,000
	\$110,500	

The following amendment was offered:

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$105,000 for placement in capital reserve accounts. Not recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Recommended by the Budget Committee.

Town Building Improvement Capital Reserve	\$15,000
Sanitary Landfill Capital Reserve	\$25,000
Fire Department Capital Reserve	30,000
Heavy Equipment Capital Reserve	25,000
Winnisquam Fire Department Capital Reserve	3,000
Rescue Vehicle Capital Reserve	2,000
Repair and Refurbishing Capital Reserve	<u>5,000</u>
	\$105,000

The amendment was Defeated.

Article #21 was Accepted as read.

Motion to take Article #22 off the table was seconded and so voted.

Article 22. Report of Budget Committee

To receive the report of the Budget Committee of appropriations voted.

Budget Committee Chairman, James Wells, reported it appears that the appropriation you people have voted on tonight is \$1,731,317. If you deduct the estimated revenues of \$800,153, you come up with amount to be raised by taxes \$931,317. Mr. Wells estimated about a 7 1/2% increase in taxes. (Later confirmed by the budget committee, the total budget voted on is \$1,739,692).

(Town Meeting Minutes continued)

Article 23. Pine Stump Road

To see if the town will vote to discontinue the roadway now called Pine Stump Road, running from Shaw Hill Road in a southwesterly direction to the so-called Slide Road. By Request. Not recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

Motion was made to table Article #23, it was seconded and Defeated.

Article #23 was Defeated as read.

Article 24. Other Business

To transact such other business as may legally come before the Town Meeting.

Faith Tobin wanted to thank Bob Depoutot for putting Sanbornton on the map with the fireworks display this past summer. Also a special thank you to the Police and Fire Departments for an outstanding job.

Faith Tobin had a question, for certain members of the Smart Committee, in reference to the name Celebration Sanbornton.

Bill Tobin gave a note of appreciation to Will Ellis for his many years of service on the recreation committee.

Richard Shannon wanted to thank all fellow citizens and volunteers of the Town.

No other business was brought before the meeting and a motion to adjourn was approved at 11:25 PM.

Respectfully submitted,


Jane Goss
Town Clerk

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Motor Vehicles	\$305,022.00
Dogs	3665.50
Marriage	990.00
Vitals	448.00
Maps & Ordinances	1467.59
Titles	1182.00
UCC Filing Fees	1515.78
Filing Fees	25.00
Landfill	661.00 *
Municipal Agent Fees	7531.50
Overpayments	29.50
Boats	304.00
Remitted to Treasurer	\$322,841.87

*Please note in the above report, the Landfill account is now reported to the Selectmen's office as of February, 1998.

To avoid any penalties, remember to license your dog by April 30th. Delinquency notices will be sent out in the first or second week of June.

New office hours for the Town Clerk, Tax Collector are as follows: Monday 8:00 am - 7:30 pm, and Tuesday, Thursday and Friday 8:00 am - 4:00 pm. I felt an increase in office hours on Monday evening would be more accommodating to residents, especially those who travel distances to and from work.

1998 was a challenging tax season as our computer program was not Y2K, and we chose a completely different and more detailed software program that would be 2000 compliant. Although it was only installed the beginning of November, we managed to run the tax bills in-house. I hope everyone was pleased with the new format; I found it more informative.

1999 brings another challenging year for the Town Clerk's office, with a new plate issue. Plate issues will include all regular and initial passenger plates, so please bring your previous registration when renewing your vehicles.

Respectfully submitted,


Jane Goss
Town Clerk-Tax Collector

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

	<u>1998</u>	<u>1997</u>	<u>PRIOR</u>
Uncollected Taxes, Beginning of Year			
Property		\$574,908.32	\$4647.89
Land Use Change Tax			
Yield Taxes		2,777.69	
Sewer User Fee		1260.00	
Taxes Committed This Year			
Property	\$3,791,745.00		
Added Taxes	3751.00		
Land Use Change Tax	4568.50		
Yield Taxes	41,178.78		
Sewer User Fees	24,733.00		
Overpayments:			
Property Taxes	13,526.16	1,436.06	
Land Use Change Tax			
Yield Taxes			
Sewer User Fees	10.00		
Collect Int.-Late Taxes	901.20	21,340.25	
Penalties-Lien Costs		3,302.50	
TOTAL DEBITS:	\$3,880,413.64	\$605,024.82	\$4,647.89
Remitted to Treasurer During 1998	<u>1998</u>	<u>1997</u>	<u>PRIOR</u>
Property Taxes	\$3,295,520.27	\$551,422.83	\$472.89
Land Use Change Tax	3,440.00		
Yield Taxes	38,596.42	2,777.69	
Sewer User Fee	23,498.00	1,260.00	
Interest	901.20	21,340.25	
Penalties			
Conversion To Lien Costs		3,302.50	
Overpayments	13,536.16	1,436.06	
Discounts Allowed	2,142.44		
Abatements Made			
Property Taxes	7,382.00	23,485.49	
Land Use Change Tax	250.00		
Yield Taxes	1,326.55		
Sewer User Fee	275.00		
Current Levy Deeded			
Uncollected Taxes End of Year			
Property Taxes	490,451.29		4,175.00
Land Use Change Taxes	878.50		
Yield Taxes	1,255.81		
Sewer User fees	960.00		
TOTAL CREDITS:	\$3,880,413.64	\$605,024.82	\$4,647.89

(Tax Collector continued)

	*****LEVIES OF*****		
	<u>1997</u>	<u>1996</u>	<u>PRIOR</u>
Unredeemed Taxes, Balance Beginning of Fiscal Year		\$108,055.36	\$54,635.97
Liens Executed During Fiscal Year	\$180,614.14		
Interest & Costs Collected (After Lien Execution)	4,990.53	10,819.11	18,055.10
TOTAL DEBITS:	\$185,604.67	\$118,874.47	\$72,691.07
Remitted to Treasurer: Redemption's	\$83,000.13	\$52,703.36	\$51,597.37
Interest & Costs Collected (After Lien Execution)	4,990.53	10,819.11	18,055.10
Abatements of Unredeemed Taxes			
Liens Deeded to Municipality			
Unredeemed Liens Balance of Year	97,614.01	55,352.00	3,038.60
TOTAL CREDITS:	\$185,604.67	\$118,874.47	\$72,691.07

Note: Prior years unredeemed liens indicate bankruptcy.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Goss
Jane Goss, Tax Collector

TREASURER'S REPORT

GENERAL FUND ACCOUNT

Cash on hand January 1, 1998		\$ 669,465
Deposits to December 31, 1998:		
Receipts	\$ 4,903,261	
Capital Reserve Funds	9,796	
Tax Anticipation Loan	1,750,000	
Interest Earnings	<u>38,677</u>	
		+ 6,701,734
		<u>\$ 7,371,199</u>
Payments by order of Selectmen	\$ 4,669,783	
Transfers to Capital Reserve Funds	110,500	
Repayment Tax Anticipation Loan	<u>1,750,000</u>	
		- 6,530,283
		<u>\$ 840,916</u>
Adjustments: old checks not cashed & uncollected returned checks		+ 4920
Ending Balance December 31, 1998		\$ 845,836

CONSERVATION FUND

(Opened in 1988 in accordance with RSA 36-A:5)

Beginning balance January 1, 1998	\$ 4,563
Income to account: Interest earnings	+ 102
	<u>4,665</u>
No Expenditures	0
Ending Balance December 31, 1998	\$ 4,665

POLICE/DRUG FORFEITURE MONIES

(Opened in 1990 in accordance with RSA 318-B:17-c)

Beginning balance January 1, 1998	\$ 116
Income to account: Interest earnings	+ 1
Ending Balance December 31, 1998	\$ 117

(Treasurer continued)

ESCROW ACCOUNT -- PERKINS ROAD IMPROVEMENT FUND

(Opened in 1992 under arrangements made by the Planning Board and a land owner)

Beginning balance January 1, 1998	\$ 1,928
Income to account: Interest earnings	+ 43
Ending Balance December 31, 1998	\$ 1,971

RECREATION COMMISSION - NON-LAPSING FUND

(Authorized by vote at the 1995 Town Meeting, in accordance with RSA 35-B:2,11)

Beginning balance January 1, 1998		\$ 9,382
Income to account: Receipts	\$30,165	
Interest earnings	+ 363	
		<u>+30,528</u>
		39,910
Expenditures: Payments from account	\$ 9,091	
Reimbursement to Town	+15,991	
		<u>-25,082</u>
Ending Balance December 31, 1998		\$14,828

Respectfully submitted,



Susan S. Shannon, Treasurer
February 3, 1999

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Members of the
Board of Selectmen
Town of Sanbornton
Sanbornton, New Hampshire

We have audited the accompanying general purpose financial statements of the Town of Sanbornton as of and for the year ended December 31, 1998 as listed in the table of contents. These general purpose financial statements are the responsibility of the Town's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these general purpose financial statements based on our audit.

Except as discussed in the following paragraphs, we conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

Government Accounting Standards Board Technical Bulletin 98-1, *Disclosures about Year 2000 Issues*, requires disclosure of certain matters regarding the year 2000 issue. The Town of Sanbornton has included such disclosures in Note 6B. Because of the unprecedented nature of the year 2000 issue, its effects and the success of related remediation efforts will not be fully determinable until the year 2000 and thereafter. Accordingly, insufficient audit evidence exists to support the Town of Sanbornton's disclosures with respect to the year 2000 issue made in Note 6B. Further we do not provide assurance that the Town of Sanbornton is or will be year 2000 ready, that the Town of Sanbornton's year 2000 remediation efforts will be successful in whole or in part, or that parties with which the Town of Sanbornton does business will be year 2000 ready.

The general purpose financial statements referred to above do not include the general fixed assets account group which should be included in order to conform with generally accepted accounting principles. As is the case with most municipal entities in the State of New Hampshire, the Town of Sanbornton has not maintained historical cost records of its fixed assets. The amount that should be recorded in the general fixed assets account group is not known.

(Independent Auditor continued)

*Town of Sanbornton
Independent Auditor's Report*

In our opinion, except for the effect on the financial statements of the omission described in the preceding paragraph, along with the effects of such adjustments, if any, as might have been determined to be necessary had we been able to examine evidence regarding year 2000 disclosures, as noted above, the general purpose financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Town of Sanbornton, as of December 31, 1998, and the results of its operations and the cash flows of its nonexpendable trust funds for the year then ended in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

Our audit was made for the purpose of forming an opinion on the general purpose financial statements of the Town of Sanbornton taken as a whole. The combining and individual fund financial statements listed as schedules in the table of contents are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the general purpose financial statements of the Town of Sanbornton. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the general purpose financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly presented in all material respects in relation to the general purpose financial statements taken as a whole.

January 28, 1999

*Plodzik & Sanderson
Professional Association*

(Independent Auditor continued)

SCHEDULE A-1
TOWN OF SANBORNTON, NEW HAMPSHIRE
General Fund
Statement of Estimated and Actual Revenues
For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1998

<u>REVENUES</u>	<u>Estimated</u>	<u>Actual</u>	Over (Under) Budget
<u>Taxes</u>			
Property	\$ 3,763,500	\$ 3,753,641	\$ (9,859)
Land Use Change	2,500	4,569	2,069
Yield	40,000	41,520	1,520
Other	1,400	1,162	(238)
Interest and Penalties on Taxes	55,500	55,794	294
Total Taxes	<u>3,862,900</u>	<u>3,856,686</u>	<u>(6,214)</u>
<u>Licenses and Permits</u>			
Business Licenses, Permits and Fees	16,372	17,225	853
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	290,000	305,022	15,022
Building Permits	3,800	4,525	725
Total Licenses and Permits	<u>310,172</u>	<u>326,772</u>	<u>16,600</u>
<u>Intergovernmental Revenues</u>			
<u>State</u>			
Shared Revenue	46,508	46,508	
Highway Block Grant	81,320	81,320	
Rooms and Meals Distribution	33,366	33,366	
State and Federal Forest			
Land Reimbursement	600	567	(33)
Flood Control Reimbursement	21,893	21,893	
Other Reimbursements	35,200	35,200	
FEMA Grant		11,058	11,058
<u>Federal</u>			
FEMA Grants	57,476	69,918	12,442
Total Intergovernmental Revenues	<u>276,363</u>	<u>299,830</u>	<u>23,467</u>
<u>Charges For Services</u>			
Income From Departments	25,302	27,307	2,005
Garbage - Refuse Charges	50,000	76,321	26,321
Total Charges For Services	<u>75,302</u>	<u>103,628</u>	<u>28,326</u>
<u>Miscellaneous Revenues</u>			
Sale of Municipal Property	400	400	
Interest on Investments	35,000	38,677	3,677
Other	19,690	14,577	(5,113)
Total Miscellaneous Revenues	<u>55,090</u>	<u>53,654</u>	<u>(1,436)</u>
<u>Other Financing Sources</u>			
<u>Operating Transfers In</u>			
<u>Interfund Transfers</u>			
Special Revenue Funds	18,206	15,991	(2,215)
Capital Reserve Funds	11,000	5,927	(5,073)
Total Other Financing Sources	<u>29,206</u>	<u>21,918</u>	<u>(7,288)</u>
<u>Total Revenues and Other Financing Sources</u>	<u>\$ 4,609,033</u>	<u>\$ 4,662,488</u>	<u>\$ 53,455</u>

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EXHIBIT A
TOWN OF SANBORNTON, NEW HAMPSHIRE
Combined Balance Sheet
All Fund Types and Account Group
December 31, 1998

	Governmental Fund Types		Fiduciary Fund Types	Account Group	Total
	General	Special Revenue	Trust and Agency	General Long-Term Debt	(Memorandum Only)
ASSETS AND OTHER DEBITS					
<u>Assets</u>					
Cash and Equivalents	\$ 845,836	\$ 41,292	\$ 5,893	\$	\$ 893,021
Investments			603,102		603,102
<u>Receivables (Net of Allowances For Uncollectibles)</u>					
Taxes	632,766				632,766
Accounts		960			960
Intergovernmental	23,500				23,500
Interfund Receivable	3,168	37,580			40,748
<u>Other Debits</u>					
Amount to be Provided for Retirement of General Long-Term Debt				274,183	274,183
TOTAL ASSETS AND OTHER DEBITS	<u>\$ 1,505,270</u>	<u>\$ 79,832</u>	<u>\$ 608,995</u>	<u>\$ 274,183</u>	<u>\$ 2,468,280</u>
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY					
<u>Liabilities</u>					
Intergovernmental Payable	\$ 1,275,975	\$	\$	\$	\$ 1,275,975
Interfund Payable	37,580		3,168		40,748
Escrow and Performance Deposits			1,971		1,971
General Obligation Debt Payable				105,000	105,000
Accrued Landfill Closure Costs				150,000	150,000
Capital Lease Payable				19,183	19,183
Total Liabilities	<u>1,313,555</u>		<u>5,139</u>	<u>274,183</u>	<u>1,592,877</u>
<u>Equity</u>					
<u>Fund Balances</u>					
Reserved For Endowments			108,248		108,248
Reserved For Encumbrances	51,101				51,101
Reserved For Special Purposes			495,608		495,608
<u>Unreserved</u>					
Designated For Special Purposes		79,832			79,832
Undesignated	<u>140,614</u>				<u>140,614</u>
Total Equity	<u>191,715</u>	<u>79,832</u>	<u>603,856</u>		<u>875,403</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	<u>\$ 1,505,270</u>	<u>\$ 79,832</u>	<u>\$ 608,995</u>	<u>\$ 274,183</u>	<u>\$ 2,468,280</u>

The notes to financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

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SCHEDULE A-2
TOWN OF SANBORNTON, NEW HAMPSHIRE
General Fund
Statement of Appropriations, Expenditures and Encumbrances
For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1998

	Encumbered From 1997	Appropriations 1998	Expenditures Net of Refunds	Encumbered To 1999	(Over) Under Budget
Current					
<u>General Government</u>					
Executive	\$	\$ 41,000	\$ 39,412	\$	\$ 1,588
Election, Registration, and Vital Statistics		2,700	2,926		(226)
Financial Administration		98,700	96,811		1,889
Revaluation of Property		17,500	19,220		(1,720)
Legal Expenses		8,000	8,690		(690)
Personnel Administration		140,860	148,728		(7,868)
Planning and Zoning		37,780	27,328		10,452
General Government Buildings		30,200	29,226		974
Cemeteries		2,000	667		1,333
Insurance, not otherwise allocated		39,781	39,911		(130)
Other		1,571	2,967		(1,396)
Total General Government		420,092	415,886		4,206
<u>Public Safety</u>					
Police Department		239,171	241,783		(2,612)
Fire Department		75,100	60,918		14,182
Emergency Management		2,400	2,178		222
Other Public Safety		1,500	1,369		131
Total Public Safety		318,171	306,248		11,923
<u>Highways and Streets</u>					
Highways and Streets		414,474	441,592		(27,118)
Bridges		3,000	768		2,232
Street Lighting		2,500	3,285		(785)
Total Highways and Streets		419,974	445,645		(25,671)
<u>Sanitation</u>					
Solid Waste Disposal		106,530	115,583		(9,053)
<u>Health</u>					
Administration		3,250	3,249		1
Animal Control		700	423		277
Health Agencies and Hospitals		31,716	27,580		4,136
Total Health		35,666	31,252		4,414
<u>Welfare</u>					
Vendor Payments		25,100	18,002		7,098

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SCHEDULE A-2 (Continued)
TOWN OF SANBORNTON, NEW HAMPSHIRE
General Fund
Statement of Appropriations, Expenditures and Encumbrances
For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1998

	Encumbered From 1997	Appropriations 1998	Expenditures Net of Refunds	Encumbered To 1999	(Over) Under Budget
Culture and Recreation					
Parks and Recreation		34,806	32,591		2,215
Patriotic Purposes		200	97		103
Other Culture and Recreation		2,000	2,000		
Total Culture and Recreation		37,006	34,688		2,318
Conservation					
Other		510	510		
Debt Service					
Principal of Long-Term Debt		15,000	15,000		
Interest Expense - Long-Term Debt		10,355	10,355		
Interest Expense -					
Tax Anticipation Notes		55,000	56,849		(1,849)
Total Debt Service		80,355	82,204		(1,849)
Capital Outlay					
State Aid Reconstruction	37,933	10,000		47,933	
Tank Removal Cleanup		10,000	7,028		2,972
Vehicles - Lease Purchase		43,776	43,774		2
Computer Upgrade		13,993	16,620		(2,627)
Highway Radios		1,700	1,995		(295)
Repair Library Steeple		12,500	8,323		4,177
Town Park Improvements		4,000	808	3,168	24
Culvert Replacement		1,775	1,775		
Water Well	2,498				2,498
Total Capital Outlay	40,431	97,744	80,323	51,101	6,751
Intergovernmental					
School District Assessment		2,578,317	2,578,317		
County Tax Assessment		320,414	320,414		
Total Intergovernmental		2,898,731	2,898,731		
Other Financing Uses					
Operating Transfers Out					
Interfund Transfers					
Special Revenue Funds		58,654	58,654		
Capital Reserve Funds		110,500	110,500		
Total Other Financing Uses		169,154	169,154		
Total Appropriations,					
Expenditures and Encumbrances	<u>\$ 40,431</u>	<u>\$ 4,609,033</u>	<u>\$ 4,598,226</u>	<u>\$ 51,101</u>	<u>\$ 137</u>

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TOWN OF SANBORNTON, NEW HAMPSHIRE

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

DECEMBER 31, 1998

Long-term debt payable at December 31, 1998, is comprised of the following individual issues:

Description of Issue	Original Amount	Issue Date	Maturity Date	Interest Rate %	Outstanding at 12/31/98
<u>General Long-Term</u>					
<u>Debt Account Group</u>					
<u>General Obligation</u>					
<u>Debt Payable</u>					
Life Safety Building	\$300,000	1985	2005	9.0	\$ 105,000
<u>Capital Lease Payable</u>					
Dump Truck	\$57,608	1997	1999	6.0	19,183
<u>Accrued Landfill</u>					
Closure Costs					<u>150,000</u>
<u>Total General Long-Term</u>					
<u>Debt Account Group</u>					<u>\$ 274,183</u>

Annual Requirements To Amortize Governmental Fund Debt

The annual requirements to amortize all general obligation debt outstanding as of December 31, 1998, including interest payments, are as follows:

Fiscal Year Ending December 31,	Governmental Fund Debt		
	Principal	Interest	Total
1999	\$ 15,000	\$ 9,059	\$ 24,059
2000	15,000	7,677	22,677
2001	15,000	6,355	21,355
2002	15,000	5,064	20,064
2003	15,000	3,715	18,715
2004-2005	<u>30,000</u>	<u>3,404</u>	<u>33,404</u>
Totals	<u>\$ 105,000</u>	<u>\$ 35,274</u>	<u>\$ 140,274</u>

Annual Requirements to Amortize Capital Leases

Fiscal Year Ending December 31,	Capital Lease		
	Principal	Interest	Total
1999	<u>\$ 19,183</u>	<u>\$ 1,093</u>	<u>\$ 20,276</u>

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*SCHEDULE A-3
TOWN OF SANBORNTON, NEW HAMPSHIRE
General Fund
Statement of Changes in Unreserved - Undesignated Fund Balance
For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1998*

<u>Unreserved - Undesignated</u> <u>Fund Balance - January 1</u>		\$ 87,022
<u>Addition</u>		
<u>1998 Budget Summary</u>		
Revenue Surplus (Schedule A-1)	\$ 53,455	
Unexpended Balance of Appropriations (Schedule A-2)	<u>137</u>	
1998 Budget Surplus		<u>53,592</u>
<u>Unreserved - Undesignated</u> <u>Fund Balance - December 31</u>		<u>\$ 140,614</u>

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SUMMARY OF VALUATION**Value of Land Only**

Current Use (at current use values)	\$ 1,796,100
Residential	71,842,950
Commercial/Industrial	<u>3,668,160</u>
Total of Taxable Land	\$ 77,307,210

Value of Buildings Only

Residential	\$ 83,050,100
Manufactured Housing	1,416,600
Commercial/Industrial	<u>9,946,450</u>
Total of Taxable Buildings	\$ 94,413,150

Public Utilities

Gas	\$ 31,800
Electric	<u>2,810,200</u>
Total of Taxable Public Utilities	\$ 2,842,000

VALUATION BEFORE EXEMPTIONS \$174,562,360

Exemptions

Elderly	\$ 205,000
Solar Power	<u>65,046</u>
Total of Exemptions	\$ 270,046

SANBORNTON'S NET VALUATION..... \$174,292,314

**FIVE YEAR TAX RATE COMPARISON**

	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Town	5.13	4.93	5.23	5.55	5.34
School	11.91	13.26	14.07	14.02	14.65
County	1.99	2.00	1.81	1.99	1.82
Total Rate	19.03	20.19	21.11	21.56	21.81

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE ADMINISTRATION
MUNICIPAL SERVICES DIVISION
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BUDGET OF THE TOWN/CITY

OF: SANBURY NH

BUDGET FORM FOR TOWNS WHICH HAVE ADOPTED
THE PROVISIONS OF RSA 32:14 THROUGH 32:24

Appropriations and Estimates of Revenue for the Ensuing Year January 1, 1999 to December 31, 1999

or Fiscal Year From _____ to _____

IMPORTANT:

Please read RSA 32:5 applicable to all municipalities.

1. Use this form to list the entire budget in the appropriate recommended and not recommended area. This means the operating budget and all special and individual warrant articles must be posted.
2. Hold at least one public hearing on this budget.
3. When completed, a copy of the budget must be posted with the warrant. Another copy must be placed on file with the town clerk, and a copy sent to the Department of Revenue Administration at the above address.

BUDGET COMMITTEE

Please sign in ink.

[Signature]
Kent C. Chapman
William C. [Signature]
Wayne S. Elliott
[Signature]
[Signature]

DATE: 16 Feb 99

[Signature]

THIS BUDGET SHALL BE POSTED WITH THE TOWN WARRANT

1999 Budget Recommendations

Acct #	Account	1998 Appropriations	1998 Expenditures	1999 Request	Selectmen Recommended	Not Recommended	Budget Committee Recommended	Not Recommended
4130	Executive Expenses	41,000	39,306	54,796	54,796		54,796	
4130.9	Building Space Needs Com.	970	106	1,000	1,000	900	500	500
4140	Elections & Registration	2,700	2,926	1,068	1,068		1,068	
4150	Financial Administration	98,700	96,745	106,750	106,750		106,750	
4152.2	Revaluation of Property	17,500	19,220	30,000	30,000		30,000	
4153	Legal Expenses	8,000	8,690	10,000	10,000		10,000	
4155.1	Personnel Admin. FICA/Medicare	29,300	32,052	33,000	33,000		33,000	
4155.3	Retirement	12,000	11,048	14,000	14,000		14,000	
4155.7	Personnel Admin. Medical/L/D	97,860	97,261	102,000	102,000		102,000	
4155.8	Workers Compensation	1,000	2,935	3,500	3,500		3,500	
4155.9	Unemployment Compensation	700	534	501	501		501	
4191.1	Planning Board	23,417	18,644	16,580	16,580		16,580	
4191.2	Town Planning/Zoning Officer	10,000	6,310	0	0		0	
4191.3	Zoning Board	2,000	2,374	2,000	2,000		2,000	
4191.4	Historic District Com.	1	0	300	300		300	
4191.9	L.R.P.C.	2,362	2,362	2,377	2,377		2,377	
4194	General Govt. Buildings	30,200	28,022	31,000	31,000		31,000	
4195	Cemeteries	2,000	667	2,000	2,000		2,000	
4196	Insurance-Misc. Casualty	38,781	39,911	45,818	45,818		45,818	
4196.9	Insurance Deductible	1,000	0	1,000	1,000		1,000	
4199	Budget Committee	600	605	800	800		800	
4200	Cable Committee	1	0	0	1		1	
4210	Police Department	223,896	238,099	243,970	249,970		249,970	
4210.6	Police Outside Details	15,275	3,684	15,000	15,000		15,000	
4220	Fire Department	59,400	45,494	55,210	55,210		55,210	
4280	Emergency Management	2,400	2,178	2,200	2,200		2,200	
4290.4	Forest Fire Control	1,000	724	1,000	1,000		1,000	
4299.2	Winn. Fire Dept.	14,700	14,700	15,600	15,600		15,600	
4299.3	Highway Safety Committee	1,500	1,369	1,000	1,000		1,000	
4299.4	Class VI Roads/Forest Grant	0	0	60,000	60,000		60,000	
4312	Highways & Streets	297,354	289,600	328,200	316,179	12,021	316,179	12,021
4312.1	Rainstorm Cleanup	0	23,225	0	0		0	
4312.2	Highway Block Grant	81,320	82,122	79,523	79,523		79,523	
4312.3	Ice Storm Cleanup	30,000	42,643	30,000	30,000		30,000	
4312.9	Street Signs	800	846	2,100	2,100		2,100	
4313	Town Bridges	3,000	768	3,000	3,000		3,000	
4316	Street Lighting	2,500	3,285	2,500	2,500		2,500	
4324	Transfer Station	105,571	107,642	114,124	114,124		114,124	
4324.5	Hazardous Waste Day	959	959	959	959		959	
4326	Win. River Basin Program	29,390	28,841	28,349	28,349		28,349	
4411	Health Dept.	3,250	3,249	3,250	3,250		3,250	

Acct #	Account	1998 Appropriations	1998 Expenditures	1999 Request	Selectmen Recommended	Not Recommended	Budget Committee Recommended	Not Recommended
4414	Animal Control	700	423	700	500	200	500	
4415.1	Youth Assistance Program	21,891	17,956	23,596	23,596		23,596	200
4415.2	L.R. Com. Health & Hospice	4,500	4,500	4,500	4,500		4,500	
4415.3	L.R. Family Services	2,625	2,625	3,000		375	2,625	375
4415.4	L.R. Community Service	200	0	200		200	0	200
4415.5	New Beginnings	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000		1,000	
4415.6	Community Action Program	1,127	1,127	1,161	1,161		1,161	
4419	Humane Society	373	373	1,438	373	1,065	373	1,065
4442	Welfare - Aid to Disabled	100	0	100	100			
4445	Welfare - Gen'l. Assistance	25,000	18,002	25,000	25,000		25,000	
4520	Recreation	34,806	32,591	48,821	48,821		48,821	
4550	Library	57,829	57,829	60,452	60,952		60,952	
4583	Patriotic Purposes	200	97	100	100		100	
4589.1	Moulton's Band	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000		2,000	
4611	Conservation Commission	1,335	510	3,855	1,335	2,520	1,335	2,520
4711	Debt. Ser.-Prim. LT Bonds	15,000	15,000	15,000	15,000		15,000	
4721	Debt. Ser.-Int. LT Bonds	10,355	10,355	9,059	9,059		9,059	
4723	Tax Anticipation Notes-Int.	55,000	56,849	56,850	56,850		56,850	
4902	Cap. Outlay-Pol. Cruiser #1	11,858	11,858	26,353	26,353		26,353	
4902.1	Cap. Outlay-Pol. Cruiser #2	11,641	11,641		0		0	
4902.2	Computer Upgrade - Police	13,993	16,620	0	0		0	
4902.3	Highway Dept. Sanders	0	0	10,500	5,250	5,250	5,250	5,250
4902.6	Radios for Highway Dept.	1,700	1,995	3,849	1	3,848	1	3,848
4902.7	New Highway Truck	20,277	20,277	20,277	20,277		20,277	
4902.9	Pickup Truck with Accessories	0	0	41,639	38,639	3,000	35,000	6,639
4902.11	New Fire Truck	0	0	155,000	155,000		155,000	
4902.12	Time Clock Petition	0	0	450	0	450	0	450
4902.13	Tape Recorder Petition	0	0	400	0	400	0	400
4903	Repair Steeple at Library	12,500	8,323	0	0		0	
4909	Town Park Imp. (from CRF)	4,000	808	0	0		0	
4909.1	Underground Tank Cleanup	10,000	7,028	14,000	14,000		14,000	
4909.2	Petition - Dr. True Road	0	0	0	0		0	
4909.3	State Aid for Reconstruction	10,000	10,000	15,000	15,000		15,000	
4909.4	Dr. True Road Improvements	5,000	3,821	0	0		0	
4909.5	Culvert Replacement	1,775	1,775	0	0		0	
4909.6	Landfill Closure	0	0	0	0		0	
4909.7	Salt Shed Replacement	0	0	50,000	50,000		50,000	
4915.1	CRF Town Building Imp.	15,000	15,000	20,000	20,000		20,000	10,000
4915.2	CRF Landfill	25,000	25,000	25,000	25,000		25,000	
4915.3	CRF Fire Truck	30,000	30,000	0	0		0	
4915.4	CRF Highway Heavy Equip	25,000	25,000	25,000	25,000		25,000	
4915.5	CRF Fire Truck Refurbished	7,500	7,500	5,000	5,000		5,000	
4915.6	CRF Winnisquam FD	3,000	3,000	0	0		0	
4915.7	CRF Rescue Vehicle	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000		5,000	
4915.8	CRF Roads & Bridges	0	0	5,000	5,000		5,000	
4915.9	CRF SFD Radios	0	0	2,500	2,500		2,500	
4915.11	CRF WFD Radios	0	0	10,000	10,000		10,000	
4915.12	CRF WFD Ambulance	0	0	138,000	138,000		138,000	
4711.1	Repair of Town Buildings	0	0	138,000	138,000		138,000	
	Totals	1,739,692	1,725,028	2,279,275	2,255,547		2,241,808	

1999 Revenue Estimates

	Accounts	1998 Budget	Tax Rate	1998 Actual	1999 Budget
3120	Land Use Change Taxes	2,500	2,500	3,440	2,500
3185	Yield Taxes	35,000	40,000	41,715	38,000
3190	Interest & Penalties	58,000	54,000	55,734	52,000
3210.4	UCC Filing Fees	1,600	1,300	1,516	1,500
3220	Motor Vehicles	280,000	290,000	305,022	300,000
3221	Sticker Program Fees	7,500	7,500	7,532	7,500
3230	Building Permits	4,000	3,800	4,525	4,500
3290	Other Licenses, Permits, Fees	7,500	7,500	8,082	8,000
3290.9	Current Use Fees	200	72	96	100
3351	Shared Revenue Block Grant	34,637	44,618	44,618	44,618
3353	Highway Block Grant	81,320	81,320	81,320	79,523
3356	State Federal Forest Lands	600	567	595	600
3357	Flood Control	22,125	21,893	21,893	21,893
3359	State Grants & Reimbursements	25,050	57,476	57,476	33,435
3359.1	Class VI/Forest Cleanup grant				48,000
3359.2	UST Cleanup Grant				16,000
3379.2	Pymt in Lieu of Taxes (gov't)	600	600	567	600
3379.3	Forest Fire Reimbursement	1,000	0	0	1,000
3401.1	Planning Board	2,000	2,600	2,710	2,000
3401.2	Police Department	1,000	1,500	4,402	7,000
3401.3	Zoning Board	500	700	951	700
3401.4	Fire Department	15,000	15,000	16,814	0
3401.5	Outside Police Services	19,500	5,535	3,605	20,250
3319	Grant for new Police Officer	19,000	21,498	21,498	17,000
3401.6	Police Computer Upgrade Grant	11,194	13,702	13,702	0
3403	Sewer User Charges	21,660	24,758	24,758	28,349
3404.3	Transfer Station	13,000	13,000	18,691	14,000
3404.4	Transfer Station Recycling	5,000	4,000	5,467	5,000
3404.5	Transfer Station Bags	30,000	33,000	33,472	30,000
3409.5	Recreation	18,206	18,206	15,991	32,221
3501.1	Sale of Town Property	20,000	400	400	15,000
3502	Interest on Deposits	25,000	35,000	38,677	25,000
3503.1	Rent of Town Property	50	50	0	50
3506.4	Health Ins. Reimbursement	14,411	11,000	10,185	8,000
3506.6	Other Ins. Reimbursements	7,000	7,330	7,330	4,737
3509	Miscellaneous Receipts	5,000	4,000	3,980	4,000
3509.1	Overpayments		1,500	12,346	0
3509.2	Assistance Repayments		600	168	1,500
3915	Transfer from Cap. Res. Funds	11,000	11,000	9,796	160,000
	LT Note Proceeds	0	0	0	213,000
		800,153	836,767	879,134	1,247,576

Town of Sanbornton, New Hampshire

1999 Warrant

The polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Sanbornton in the County of Belknap in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Sanbornton on Tuesday, the ninth day of March one thousand nine hundred and ninety-nine to act on the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year.
2. To choose all necessary District Officers for the Winnisquam Regional School District.
3. To vote on the following question:

Shall we adopt the provisions of RSA 40:13 to allow official ballot voting on all issues before the Town? By Petition.

4. To Vote on the following proposed amendments to the Town Zoning Ordinance:

Amendment #1

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 1 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Define Elderly/Handicapped/Disabled Housing as the occupancy of units within a development which shall be limited to family units in which the head of household or spouse is at least 55 years old, or is handicapped or disabled, as defined by the federal government.

Amendment #2

Are you in favor of adoption of Amendment No. 2 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Amend Article 4 and add Paragraph Q to permit Elderly/Handicapped/Disabled Housing as a permitted use in all Districts provided the housing meets certain standards.

Amendment #3

Are you in favor of adoption of Amendment No. 3 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Relocate the "Description of the General Agricultural District" from Article 16 to Article 5 B. Relocate the "Description of the Forest Conservation District" from Article 16 to Article 7 B. No other amendments or additions are being made.

Amendment #4

Are you in favor of adoption of Amendment No. 4 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Relocate the "Description of the General Residence District" from Article 16 to Article 6 (5). Amend the description to correspond with the Zoning Map.

Amendment #5

Are you in favor of adoption of Amendment No. 5 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Relocate the "Description of the Commercial District" and the "Amendments to the Commercial District" from Article 16 to Article 10 B & C respectively. Amend the "Description" and "Amendment" sections to describe the locations.

Amendment #6

Are you in favor of adoption of Amendment No. 6 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Delete the section of Article 6 (1), which prohibits manufactured homes in the General Residence District. Replace with the language to permit new models of manufactured homes provided they meet specific structural conditions. A majority of the Planning Board approves of this amendment.

Amendment #7

Are you in favor of adoption of Amendment No. 7 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Delete the section of Article 8 (2), which prohibits manufactured homes in the Recreational District. Replace with the language to permit new models of manufactured homes provided they meet specific structural conditions. A majority of the Planning Board approves of this amendment.

You are hereby notified to meet at the Sanbornton Central School in said Sanbornton on Wednesday, the tenth day of March next at seven of the clock in the evening (7:00 p.m.) to act upon the following subjects:

Article 1. Long Term Bonds/Notes

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$148,000 for repair of Town buildings and facilities, and to authorize the issuance of not more than \$148,000 of bonds or notes in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act (RSA 33), and to authorize the municipal officials to issue and negotiate such bonds or notes and to determined the rate of interest thereon. Repair projects include the Town Hall sills and foundation (\$90,000), replacement of the Life-Safety Building roof (\$48,000), and repair of the Highway Department salt shed (\$10,000). (2/3 ballot vote required.)

Recommended by the Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article 2. Petition Article

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$450.00 to fund the purchase of a time clock and necessary supplies to be used by all non-elected official employees working at the Sanbornton Town office.

Not recommended by the Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article 3. Petition Article

To see if the Town will vote to rescind Article 2 of the 1998 Warrant Articles for the Town of Sanbornton for a full time Planning and Zoning Assistant, as proposed by the Sanbornton Board of Selectmen for the town and funded by account 4191.2 named Town Planning and Zoning Officer, said article having passed at the 1998 Sanbornton Town meeting and which read as follows:

Article 2. Planning and Zoning Assistant

To See if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000 to fund a town planning and zoning assistant who will work for the Town thirty-two (32) hours per week. The position will be funded by combining these funds with \$22,267 currently budgeted for planning services contracted through the Lakes Region Planning Commission. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Not recommended by the Budget Committee. (1998 Article)

Not recommended by the Selectmen.

Article 4. Petition Article

To see if the Town will vote to eliminate the full time position for a Planning and Zoning Assistant and return to subcontracting with Lakes Region Planning Commission for the Town's planning and zoning needs.

Not recommended by the Selectmen.

Article 5. Petition Article

To see if the Town will vote to decrease account 4191.2 named Town Planning and Zoning Officer by \$10,000, which was appropriated for a full time Planning and Zoning Assistant.

The Selectmen and Budget Committee are not in favor of this Article since they recommend appropriation under Executive Expense.

Article 6. Petition Article

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed \$400.00 to fund the purchase of a tape recorder and necessary supplies to be used for the purpose of taping all selectmen's meetings.

Not recommended by the Selectmen and the Budget Committee

Article 7. General Government

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for general government.

	Selectmen	Budget Committee
Executive Expense	54,796	54,796
Elections and Registration	1,068	1,068
Financial Administration	106,750	106,750
Revaluation of Property	30,000	30,000
Legal Expense	10,000	10,000
Personnel Administration	153,001	153,001
Planning and Zoning	21,257	21,257
General Government Buildings	31,000	31,000
Cemeteries	2,000	2,000
Insurance	46,818	46,818
Other General Government	901	1,301
	\$457,591	\$457,991
<i>The Selectmen recommend</i>	<i>\$457,591. The</i>	<i>Budget Committee</i>
<i>recommends \$457,991.</i>		

Article 8. Public Safety

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for public safety.

	Selectmen	Budget Committee
Police Department	249,970	249,970
Police Department Details	15,000	15,000
Fire Department	55,210	55,210
Emergency Management	2,200	1700
Forest Fire Control	1,000	1,000
Winnisquam Fire Department	15,600	15,600
Highway Safety Committee	1,000	1,000
Street Lighting	<u>2,500</u>	<u>2,500</u>
	\$342,480	\$341,980

The Selectmen recommend \$342,480. The Budget Committee recommends \$341,980.

Article 9. Maintenance of Highways

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$321,279 for the maintenance of highways and streets.

Maintenance of Highways	\$316,179
Street Signs	2,100
Town Bridges	<u>3,000</u>
	\$321,279

Recommended by the Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article 10. Highway Block Grant

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$79,523 to be received from the Highway Block Grant to be used to finish work on Woodman Road, work on the town portion of Upper Bay Road, Seth Drive and Hueber Drive.

Recommended by the Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article 11. Ice Storm Response and Cleanup

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$30,000 for the purpose of response and clean up of debris from Town roads resulting from the ice storm in January, 1998; and to authorize the selectmen to apply for, contract for and accept grants of federal or state aid or both as may be available and to do all things necessary to carry out the purposes of this appropriation.

Recommended by the Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article 12. Clean up of Class VI Roads and Town Forest Land

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$60,000 for the purpose of response and clean up of debris from Town class VI roads and town forest land resulting from the ice storm of January, 1998; and to authorize the Selectmen to apply for, contract for and accept grants of federal or state aid or both as may be available and to do all things necessary to carry out the purposes of this appropriation.

Recommended by the Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article 13. State Aid Construction

To see if the Town will vote raise and appropriate the sum of \$15,000 to be added to the funds already appropriated for State Aid Construction projects. Said funds to be matched 2:1 by the State of New Hampshire.

Recommended by the Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article 14. Waste Disposal

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$143,432 for waste disposal.

Solid Waste Disposal	\$114,124
Household Hazardous Waste Disposal	959
Winnepesaukee River Basin Program	<u>28,349</u>
	\$143,432

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article 15. Health and Welfare

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$62,105 for health and welfare.

Health Department	\$3,250
Animal Control	500
Welfare	25,100
Other	<u>33,255</u>
	\$62,105

Recommended by the Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article 16. Culture, Patriotic Purposes and Conservation

To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$64,387 for culture, patriotic purposes and conservation.

Sanbornton Public Library	\$60,952
Patriotic Purposes	100
Moulton's Band	2,000
Conservation Commission	<u>1,335</u>
	\$64,387

Recommended by the Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article 17. Land Use Change Tax Funds

To see if the Town will vote to deposit up to \$5,000 of the land use change tax revenues collected pursuant to RSA 79-A in the Conservation Fund, in accordance with RSA 36-A:5 III as authorized by RSA 79-A:25 II.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

Article 18. Recreation

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$48,821 for the Sanbornton Recreation Commission. Said appropriation to be offset by \$32,331 in expected revenues from the Recreation Commission Revolving Non-Lapsing Fund.

Recommended by the Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article 19. Debt Service, Equipment and Capital Outlay

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$101,186 for debt service, equipment and capital outlay.

Debt Service Long Term Bonds	\$24,059
Interest - Tax Anticipation	56,850
Vehicles Lease - Purchase	<u>20,277</u>
	\$101,186

Recommended by the Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article 20. Police Department Cruiser

To see if the Town will vote to purchase a 1999 cruiser for the police department and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$26,353 for this purpose.

Recommended by the Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article 21. Highway Department Sander

if the Town will vote to purchase a sander for the highway department and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,250 for this purpose.

Recommended by the Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article 22. Highway Department Pickup Truck and Radio

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to purchase a pickup truck, with accessories, for the Highway Department.

The Selectmen recommend \$38,640. The Budget Committee recommends \$35,001.

Article 23. Fire Truck

To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$155,000 for the purchase of a fire truck for the Sanbornton Fire Department, and the issuance of no more than \$45,000 of bonds or notes in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act (RSA 33), and to authorize the municipal officials to issue and negotiate such bonds or notes and to determine the rate of interest thereon, and to authorize the withdrawal of \$110,000 from the Sanbornton Fire Department Capital Reserve Fund which was established for this purpose.

Recommended by the Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article 24. Underground Fuel Storage Tank Cleanup

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$14,000 for continued site investigation and clean up at the Sanbornton Highway Garage in connection with the removal of the underground fuel storage tank. (\$7,028 was expended in 1998. As a qualified site under the NH Petroleum Reimbursement Fund, the town will be reimbursed for all expenses, subject to a \$5,000 deductible. \$16,000 reimbursement is expected in 1999.)

Recommended by the Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article 25. Landfill Closure

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50,000 for engineering studies for the purpose of finalizing closure of the Sanbornton Municipal Landfill, and to authorize the withdrawal of \$50,000 from the Sanitary Landfill Capital Reserve Fund, which was established for this purpose.

Recommended by the Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article 26. Payments to Capital Reserve Accounts

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$65,000 for placement in the capital reserve accounts.

Building Improvement Capital Reserve	\$25,000
Heavy Equipment Capital Reserve	25,000
Rescue Vehicle Capital Reserve	5,000
Repair and Refurbishing Capital Reserve	5,000
Roads and Bridges Capital Reserve	<u>5,000</u>
	\$65,000

Recommended by the Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article 27. Sanbornton Fire Department Radio Capital Reserve

To see if the Town will vote to establish a Capital Reserve Fund under the provisions of RSA 35:1 for the purpose of replacing Sanbornton Fire Department radios and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000 to be placed in this fund.

Recommended by the Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article 28. Winnisquam Fire Department Radio Capital Reserve

To see if the town will vote to establish a Capital Reserve Fund under the provisions of RSA 35:1 for the purpose of replacing Winnisquam Fire Department radios and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,500 to be placed in this fund.

Recommended by the Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

**Article 29. Winnisquam Fire Department Capital Reserve for
 Ambulance Replacement**

To see if the town will vote to establish a Capital Reserve Fund under the provisions of RSA 31:1 for the purpose of replacement of the Winnisquam Fire Department ambulance, and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000 to be placed in this fund.

Recommended by the Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article 30. Special Revenue Fund

Shall we adopt the provisions of RSA 31:95-c to restrict all revenues from ambulance billing to expenditures for the purpose of replacement of the ambulance or ambulance equipment, when needed. Such revenue and expenditures shall be accounted for in a special revenue fund to be known as the Ambulance and Ambulance Equipment Replacement Fund, separate from the general fund. Any surplus in said fund shall not be deemed part of the

general fund accumulated surplus and shall be expended only after a vote by the legislative body to appropriate a specific amount from said fund for a specific purpose related to the purpose of the fund or source of the revenue.
Recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

Article 31. Report of Budget Committee

To receive the report of the Budget Committee of appropriations voted.


Article 32. Other Business

To transact such other business as may legally come before the Town Meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-second day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and ninety-nine.

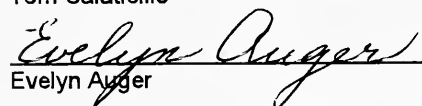


Bill Tobin, Chairman



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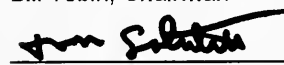


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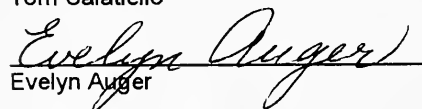


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TAX RATE COMPUTATION FOR 1998

		<u>TOTALS</u>	<u>TAX RATE</u>
<u>Town Portion:</u>			
Appropriations	\$1,739,692		
Less: Revenues	839,667		
Less: Shared Revenues	8,497		
Add: Overlay	18,565		
Add: War Service Credits	<u>19,250</u>		
Net Town Appropriation		\$ 929,343	
Municipal Tax Rate			\$ 5.34
<u>School Portion:</u>			
Due to Local School	\$ 0		
Due to Regional School	2,578,317		
Less: Shared Revenues	<u>24,362</u>		
Net School Appropriation		\$2,553,955	
School Tax Rate			\$ 14.65
<u>County Portion:</u>			
Due to County	\$320,414		
Less: Shared Revenues	<u>2,397</u>		
Net County Appropriation		\$ 318,017	
County Tax Rate			\$ 1.82
<u>COMBINED TAX RATE:</u>			\$21.81
<u>Commitment Analysis:</u>			
Total Property Taxes Assessed		\$3,801,315	
Less: War Service Credits		<u>- 19,250</u>	
TOTAL PROPERTY TAX COMMITMENT		\$3,782,065	
<u>Proof of Rate:</u>			
Net Assessed Valuation	x Tax Rate	= Assessment	
\$174,292,314	\$21.81		\$3,801,315

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS REPORT

This year, the Trustees of the Trust Funds welcomed Daryl Woods as a new member to the committee, he filled the vacancy created by Peter Hibberd. Peter was elected Selectman in March.

The Trustees held meetings about every month throughout the year. The financial report shows a reasonable amount of growth for the year.

The board awarded scholarships to many of the local students requesting assistance. The board felt rather than award one large scholarship to one individual, it would provide several smaller awards to provide help to more students.

Sally Hibberd was appointed to the Old Graveyards and Cemeteries Committee which has been very active in mowing and cleaning cemeteries around Town, using Trust Funds to offset expenses.

The Board would like to thank all who have assisted them throughout the year.

Wayne Elliott, Chairman
Edwin LeBel, Treasurer
Daryl Woods, Secretary

(Trustees of Trust Funds continued)

SUMMARY OF INVESTED FUNDS

Trust Funds	Balance 12/31/97	New Funds	Principal Additions	Balance 12/31/98	Income Balance 12/31/97	Income Earned 12/31/98	Expenses 12/31/98	Balance 12/31/98	Total Principal & Income 1998
Cemetery Funds	8,027.35	239.45		8,266.80	13,069.87	826.98	270.00	13,616.85	21,883.65
Cemetery Funds	10,822.38	322.83		11,145.22	15,542.52	1,114.93	125.00	16,532.48	27,677.70
Library Funds	24,373.65	727.06		26,100.72	3,249.78	2,510.99	2,000.00	3,760.77	28,861.48
Needy & Poor Funds	19,882.11	593.02		20,473.13	20,322.54	2,048.06		22,370.59	42,843.71
School & Parsonage	3,168.73	94.46		3,261.24	1,968.62	326.24	900.00	1,394.86	4,656.11
School & Cemetery	5,373.76	160.30		5,534.06	4,951.85	553.61		5,505.46	11,039.51
Scholarship Funds	26,031.42	776.51		26,807.93	9,715.85	2,681.77	1,350.00	11,047.63	37,855.56
Fireman's Memorial Scholarship	5,454.28	162.70	600.00	6,216.98	2,484.75	561.90	500.00	2,546.65	8,763.63
Playground Funds	752.22	22.44		774.66	499.95	77.49		577.44	1,352.10
TOTAL	103,885.91	3,098.76	600.00	107,580.73	71,795.74	10,701.97	5,145.00	77,352.73	184,933.46

*(Trustees of Trust Funds continued)***CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS**

Capital Reserve Funds	Balance 12/31/97	Additions per 1998 Town Meeting	Interest 12/31/98	Withdrawals per Selectmen in 1998	Balance 12/31/98
Heavy Equipment	57,378.64	25,000.00	3,549.92		85,928.56
Town Building Improvement	26,012.91	15,000.00	1,609.36	8,963.86	33,658.41
New Fire Truck	73,547.68	30,000.00	4,550.29		108,097.97
Sanitary Landfill	102,657.05	25,000.00	6,351.24		134,008.29
Road/Bridge Construction	29,845.18		1,846.48		31,691.66
Winnisquam Fire Department	1,633.57	3,000.00	88.65		4,722.22
Town Park	4,508.28		244.70	831.70	3,921.28
Fire Truck Repair/Refurbish	1,098.59	7,500.00	59.63		8,658.22
Fire Department Rescue Vehicle	5,000.00	5,000.00	271.36		10,271.36
TOTAL	301,681.90	110,500.00	18,571.63	9,795.58	420,957.97

LIST OF TOWN PROPERTY*(Not classified as assets)*

Facility Descriptions	Assessed Value
Town Hall, Land & Buildings (TM 26.45)	\$137,200
Equipment & Furniture	9,500
Town Office/Life Safety Building Land (TM 26.13)	58,900
Town Office Building	113,100
Equipment & Furniture	40,000
Life Safety Building	269,000
Police Department Equipment	98,000
Fire Department Equipment	500,000
Chapel Fire Station (TM 20.45)	56,600
Library, Land & Building (TM 26.42)	98,850
Furnishings & Books	163,000
Highway Department, Land & Buildings (TM 22.27)	91,200
Highway Department Equipment	242,660
Transfer Station/Recycling Facility (TM 20.63)	89,700
Dr. True Town Beach (TM 11.75)	55,300
Hermit Lake Town Beach (TM 3.102)	153,900
Beach/Recreation Equipment	3,000
	<u>\$2,179,910</u>

Tax Map #	Acreage	Description	Assessed Value
1.012	20.00	Mountain Road	\$ 7,000
2.008	.82	Drake Road	14,100
2.021	.34	Grove Drive	10,800
3.003	.14	Plummer Pond Island	10,700
3.005	.27	Plummer Pond Island	15,200
3.014	.34	Grove Drive	12,000
3.023	.34	Birch Drive	10,800
3.068	.46	Circle Court	44,400
3.099	.90	Kennedy Road	6,000
3.118	.50	Birch Point Road	14,900
3.133	.34	Hermit Lake Island	15,600
3.142	1.04	Hermit Lake Island	34,000
3.143	.17	Hermit Lake Island	10,600
3.144	.09	Hermit Lake Island	6,200
3.145	.28	Hermit Lake Island	10,300
3.151	.05	Hermit Lake Island	4,000
3.170	.57	Stage Road	2,500
3.171	.06	Hermit Lake Island	2,800
4.032	128.00	Eastman Hill Road	104,200
6.002	40.00	Knox Mountain Road	22,400
8.006	2.00	Hermit Lake Island	51,000
8.013	2.00	Hermit Lake Island	51,300

(Town Property continued)

Tax Map #	Acreage	Description	Assessed Value
8.014	.23	Hermit Lake Island	10,100
8.015	.17	Hermit Lake Island	\$ 7,600
8.024	3.00	Old Mountain Road	3,900
8.025	1.50	Hermit Woods Road	8,300
8.047	.15	Point Road	12,700
8.059	.47	Circle Point Road	34,800
9.020	1.00	Off Range Road	500
9.047	6.00	Eastman Rd (Common Area)	N/V
9.061	68.32	Taylor/Steele Hill Roads	50,300
9.107	9.19	Old Mountain Road	8,100
10.069	.17	Off Spring Road	100
10.095	1.00	Steele Hill Road	12,200
11.071	56.41	Dr. True/Lower Bay Roads	185,900
11.091	.02	Black Brook Road	1,500
12.059	.34	Beechwood Avenue	21,000
12.062	1.82	Leighton Estates R.O.W.	3,600
15.075	2.20	Shute Hill Road	15,500
15.101	12.00	Tower Hill/Rufus Colby Roads	63,700
16.003	32.00	Off Range Road	22,700
16.004	19.00	Off Range Road	13,300
16.024	18.44	Off Range Road	14,400
16.065	7.00	Poplar Road	8,300
18.012	1.60	Bay Road	12,000
20.083	.58	Schoolhouse Road	1,300
20.083-1	.40	Schoolhouse Road	800
21.046	13.00	Pound Road	34,800
25.012	6.23	New Hampton Road	20,100
25.018	68.00	New Boston Road	38,400
25.025	.25	Mt. View Park Road	1,200
25.026	.21	Mt. View Park Road	1,200
25.027	.17	Mt. View Park Road	1,000
25.030	.12	Mt. View Park Road	800
25.034	.14	Mt. View Park Road	3,100
27.005	.23	Calef Hill Road (DAR Cemetery)	500
			<u>\$1,074,500</u>

BUDGET COMMITTEE REPORT

As Chairman, I would like to thank all the members of the Budget Committee for a job well done. I would like to also thank the Selectmen and Selectwoman, as well as the Selectmen's Office Staff, for their cooperation this past year. Last but not least, I want to thank all the Department Heads. Every year it just gets better.

For the past three years, I have touched upon the need for more people to become involved in Town Government. This need still exists. Our current form of Government is the purist form of democracy, and it will be lost forever if the people do not become involved - if only to attend a meeting. Do not expect your neighbor to do it for you. If each voter attended one meeting per year, we would have a full house at every meeting, and that would help each board and committee do a better job in representing the needs of the Town.

The Selectmen have chosen to move forward with some Town building improvements. The first will be to save the Town Hall. The plan is to replace the sills under the building and install a full foundation and cellar. This will create some much needed space for future growth in Town, as well as save a beautiful building that has served the Town well since 1834. There will be other projects in the years to follow, as almost every department has outgrown its current space.

The Selectmen have also taken advantage of several programs that have become available as a result of the weather problems of 1998. At this point in time, the Town has received approximately \$57,476 in 1998, and could receive up to \$81,435 in 1999. This represents a lot of work on the part of the Administrative Assistant, the Road Agent, the Emergency Management personnel, as well as the Selectmen.

Another project that I must mention, is the painting of the Town Office Building. After receiving proposals for painting, it was suggested that the Town purchase a paint sprayer and do the work themselves. As a result, the Building Needs Committee saved the Taxpayers approximately \$3,000. A job well done! Thank You.

Come to the Town Meeting. Cast your vote for Town Officers on Tuesday, and attend the Business meeting Wednesday night.

Expenses for 1998: Secretary - \$605.33

Respectfully submitted,
James C. Wells
Chairman

BUILDING NEEDS/TOWN PARK COMMITTEE REPORT

The Committee's primary goal is to help with the care and maintenance of Town buildings and properties. This is accomplished with assistance from many Town agencies and the Selectmen. For all of the guidance and help, we thank you.

This was a year of many challenges and projects that required many hours of work. Some of the projects completed were: painting the Town Offices, a new well for the highway garage along with a new furnace for the garage. The new ball field diamond was completed, through the hard work and commitment of the Recreation Committee. The new retaining wall at the Transfer Station was installed this summer, making the property a more effective transfer facility.

This coming year presents us with many challenges. The old Town Hall will require some work, along with painting other buildings, and some roofing on the Life Safety building. The beach houses at the town beaches will need work to become better and more usable. This Committee is a *working* committee, dedicated to helping our Town keep its beauty and character. Our meetings are the first Tuesday of each month at the Town Office building. All are welcome to visit and join in the fun.

Respectfully submitted,
Ralph Jesseman

CONSERVATION COMMISSION REPORT

1998 was a very busy year for the Sanbornton Conservation Commission. During the year the Commission reviewed many Wetlands permits. The majority of these applications required on-site review for verification of proposed site plans and usages.

Our Commission has also toured/walked some of the Town-owned properties, for the purpose of reviewing for future usage and timber concerns. This was quite important after the ice storm of last January, which caused major damage to many areas in our Town. Many of these lots are in remote areas, and are an asset to the Town.

For 1999, we are working toward involvement with the Regional Environmental Planning Program, which will help us identify local natural, historical, and cultural resources for future preservation. We will work toward a more complete land management inventory of the Town lots, with the goal of having deed copies of each lot available for review when we are inspecting these lots. Boundary markings of these lots is a continuing issue that we do hope to start addressing more this coming year.

The Conservation Commission meets the second Thursday of each month in the Town Office. This is a dedicated commission, chaired by Wayne Elliott, which works with the public's interest at hand. The public is always welcome at our meetings, and your input is a valuable tool for us to learn and grow with. We encourage you to come with us and view the scenic beauty of the town of Sanbornton.

Respectfully submitted,
Ralph Jesseman

ENHANCED 911 REPORT

As Sanbornton grows, so does to the workload of maintaining the E-911 listing of residents with regard to emergency response.

In 1998 fourteen new residents were issued addresses, and over one hundred change of residents were recorded.

Your help in identifying your residence by posting your correct street address at the principal entrance to your property is a great benefit to you in the time of need, and to the emergency responders who will come to your request for service.

Please contact the Town Office or myself if you need help or information regarding the posting of street numbers.

1999 poses to be even more active with new homes being built all over town and residents leaving and new residents moving in.

Stan Barnes, Director EMD
E-911

FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT

Members of the Sanbornton Fire Department answered 1,050 calls for assistance. 1,405 hours were spent by Department members either at fire and emergency medical training, or checking equipment to be sure it was ready for use with no forewarning. The Department responded to the following calls for assistance during the year of 1998:

Structure Fire.....	1
Chimney Fire.....	6
Motor Vehicle Fire.....	13
Appliance Fire.....	1
Mutual Aid Structure Fire	15
Woods Fire.....	10
Non-Permitted Fire	6
EMS Sick Person	75
EMS Motor Vehicle Accident	39
Public Service Call.....	15
Alarm Activation	16
False Alarm	8
Smoke Investigation	6
Hazardous Material Call.....	4
Fatality	2
Total Calls for 1998.....	215

This was a very busy year for the Department. We started out the year with a paralyzing ice storm, during which a State of Emergency was declared by the Selectmen. Volunteers manned the Fire Station around the clock for three days, while assisting the Highway Department in the clearing of roadways.

This Spring, we endured high water and flooded roadways. We aided one homeowner on Lower Bay Road by sandbagging the house to keep it from being flooded by Lake Winnisquam.

This Summer, the Fire Department members manned safety tents and fire equipment at the Celebration Sanbornton Fire Works Event. Eight people were treated at this event, including one pregnant woman in labor, and one patient who was transported to the hospital.

Also this Summer, we were called to two tragic accidents: an overturned tractor, and a recreation camper which ran into a tree on Interstate 93. Both of these catastrophic events remind us of the frailty of life.

I, as well as the rest of the Town, are fortunate to have these individuals who, at a moment's notice, take time out of their lives to Preserve Life and Protect Property in and around the Town of Sanbornton.

(Fire Department continued)

In this year's budget, you will note that the Fire Department is asking the Town to purchase a new fire truck at an earlier date than anticipated. The truck that this unit would replace has worn out sooner than expected. The water pump will no longer meet its original flow rate, and the frame of the vehicle has rusted to the point where it may no longer be inspectable. It is our opinion that it would not be wise to try to repair the vehicle any longer.

I would like to thank Police Chief, Richard Robinson, and Road Agent, Ralph Carter, for their cooperation through this difficult year. The addition of town radios has made it easier to communicate between town departments during emergency situations.

Appreciation is also extended to the Sanbornton Fire and Rescue Auxiliary for their continued support.

Respectfully submitted,
Jon B. Sanborn, Fire Chief

FOREST FIRE WARDEN & STATE FOREST RANGER'S REPORT

To aid your Forest Fire Warden, Fire Department and State Forest Ranger, contact your local Warden or Fire Department to find out if a permit is required before doing ANY outside burning. Violations of RSA 227-L:17, the fire permit law and the other burning laws of the State of New Hampshire are misdemeanors punishable by fines of up to \$2,000 and/or a year in jail. Violators are also liable for all fire suppression costs.

There are 10 Forest Rangers who work for the New Hampshire Division of Forests and Lands, Forest Protection Bureau. State Forest Rangers are available to assist communities with forest fire suppression, prevention and training programs as well as the enforcement of forest fire and timber harvest laws. If you have any questions regarding forest fire or timber harvest laws, please call our office at 271-2217.

There are 2,400 Forest Fire Wardens and Deputy Forest Fire Wardens throughout the state. Each town has a Forest Fire Warden and several Deputy Wardens who assist the Forest Rangers with suppression, prevention, and law enforcement. Early in 1998, we experienced an ice storm which caused severe damage to the forests of New Hampshire. This damage created a greater potential fire hazard as well as safety hazards to many areas of the state. Your local fire warden and Forest Rangers need your assistance in preventing wildfires in these hard hit areas and throughout the State. If you need assistance or information dealing with ice storm damaged woodlands, please call 1-800-444-8978.

The State of New Hampshire operates 15 fire towers, 2 mobile patrols and 3 contract aircraft patrols. This early detection and reports from citizens aid in the quick response from local fire departments. This is a critical factor in controlling the size of wildland fires and keeping the loss of property and suppression costs as low as possible.

Lee A. Gardner, Forest Ranger
Jon B. Sanborn, Forest Fire Warden

(Forest Fire Warden/Forest Ranger continued)

1998 FIRE STATISTICS

(All fires reported through December 23, 1998)

FIRES REPORTED BY COUNTY

Belknap	44
Carroll	89
Cheshire	67
Coos	18
Grafton	43
Hillsborough	232
Merrimack	108
Rockingham	121
Strafford	64
Sullivan	12

CAUSES OF FIRES REPORTED

Smoking	59
Debris Burning	38
Campfire	29
Power Line	14
Railroad	09
Equipment Use	24
Lightning	16
Children	95
OHRV	6
Miscellaneous	53
Unknown	140
Fireworks	16
Arson/Suspicious	16
Illegal	231
Rekindle	43
Disposal of Ashes	19

TOTAL FIRES..... 798

TOTAL ACRES..... 442.86

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT REPORT

I would like to thank Jean Auger for his years of dedication to our transportation system. There are many things that have to happen behind the scenes to make progress.

This sure has been a challenging year - ice storm cleanup, June flooding, and a wet winter. With the help of Jean Auger and Joanne Dover, the Town was able to receive over \$50,000 in Emergency Management Disaster funds. There will be more received in 1999 when the remainder of the work is completed.

With the mild early winter we had, I was able to send \$7,000 back into the General Fund. Hopefully, that trend will continue. In closing, I would like to thank residents for their patience while we are out fixing the roads.

Respectfully submitted,
Ralph S. Carter
Road Agent

HIGHWAY SAFETY-TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORT

The year 1998 was an active one for the Highway Safety - Transportation Advisory Committee. The Committee worked on several projects during the year, including studying changes to several Town intersections such as the intersection of Bay, Hunkins pond, Upper Bay and Poplar Roads. The Committee also addressed several safety issues brought forward by residents.

The Sanbornton Highway Safety - Transportation Advisory Committee looks forward to a productive year in 1999, and reminds you not to hesitate to notify us should you have any safety concerns about any of our roads. The Highway Safety Committee meets on the fourth Thursday of every month at the Life Safety Building. The meetings begin at 7:00m.

Respectfully yours,
Wayne Elliott
Chairman

HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION REPORT

The Historic District Commission continued our work as charged: to review all new construction and alterations/additions to buildings in the one square mile of the Historic District, throughout the year.

Due to a misunderstanding, we had no funding for the year of 1998. Our very small budget of \$300 has been reinstated for 1999, and we will now be able to do some surveys, conferences, and possibly place a marker on the Town Pound. We would like to thank the Selectmen and the Budget Committee for assuring us this small amount has been corrected.

Two new houses are now complete, started in 1998. One has a pre-school/daycare unit incorporated into the structure. A barn and a garage remodeling, along with other remodeling has also taken place. Along with three homes approved, plus garages and other projects approved in 1997, the District has had a renewal not seen for many years.

As we approach the New Millennium, that is the year 2000, we wish to take this opportunity to honor and salute our ancestors, and former residents, who built so many of the structures in this town, still in use today. From the late 1700's to 1900, our oldest houses and public buildings were built. (Now, between 1900 and 1950, buildings are also considered in the "older" category for preservation purposes.) When we reflect about the conditions they worked and lived with—no electricity, no heating systems, no indoor plumbing—we are in awe of how they accomplished so much. So, to those folks from the past, we honor you. You were a people who did the best you could under very difficult and challenging circumstances.

The Commission welcomes any suggestions for improving the District. We look forward to another busy year as we keep watch over our past, and make our homes more comfortable for the future.

Respectfully submitted,
Priscilla Bodwell, Chairwoman

OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

1998 came in like a lion with the "Ice Storm of 98". The Emergency Operations Center was activated on Friday, January 9th at 0800 hours and continued its operation until 1700 [5:00 PM] on Monday, January 12th. During this time, members of the Sanbornton Fire Department, Highway Department, and private citizens worked under extreme hazardous conditions to maintain the access to all areas of Sanbornton in the event of emergency. A list of residents who may be in need of services was established and Police and Fire Department personnel went door to door checking on their well being and to render any assistance that may have been required or requested. Due to the hazardous conditions in the areas of town that were affected, members of the Fire Department stayed at the Life Safety Building for the entire weekend so as to provide fast emergency service if the need arose. As it turned out, only one emergency call was received, that being a structure fire on Shute Hill Road late Saturday night. Again, I would like to thank all who helped to provide and maintain a safe environment when Mother Nature played her game. The citizens of Sanbornton should be proud of the dedicated individuals who time and time again provide you with the best in emergency services.

In April, the Office of Emergency Management held a tabletop exercise titled, "Response 98". This exercise was a pre-plan for what would be expected if a category four hurricane were to impact the area. In October, another tabletop exercise, titled "Wild Fire" was held. This exercise dealt with a fire out of control and threatening Steele Hill Resort. The next exercise, titled "Terrorist Incident" will be held in April and "Hazardous Materials Spill" in October. At the present time, I am actively working with the Winnisquam School District to create policies and procedures for safe schools. Please contact this office at (286-7720 or 286-4819) if you have questions concerning the Office of Emergency Management.

1998 FINANCIAL STATEMENT

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1998 Appropriation	\$2400.00	1999 Request	\$2200.00
Director Salary	\$600.00	Salaries	\$1200.00
Deputy Salary	\$600.00	Operating Budget	\$1000.00
Response 98 Drill	\$200.00		
Office Supplies	\$37.27		
Computer Items	\$639.00		
Communications	\$75.00		
Training	\$20.00		
Refreshments	\$27.98		
Total Expenses	\$1999.25		

Stan Barnes, Director EMD

OLD GRAVEYARDS AND CEMETERIES COMMITTEE REPORT

This year we had a change in the Committee, as Martha Douglass resigned. We extend our thanks to Martha for her efforts in maintaining graveyards over the years, and wish her all the best in the years ahead. On September 1, 1998, my offer of assistance to maintain the graveyards was accepted by the Board of Selectmen, and Martha provided all the documentation she had gathered over the years.

In the few short weeks before the Winter set in, a total of twenty-five graveyards were cleared of fallen trees and/or branches, mowed and inspected to make sure that they are left in good shape. This effort covered about 767 gravesites, about half the total in Town.

Many years ago, the Cram Corners Graveyard was plowed under, and the headstones and footstones flattened, presumably to allow for haying the field easier. Thanks to Elaine Swain who found the site, we have uncovered five headstones, and many gravesites. Some of the granite perimeter stones have been re-positioned to their original locations from the bushes where they were found, and this year we will continue to hand dig the total area to hopefully uncover more stones.

Many thanks also to Millie Shaw who had previously spent many hours documenting graveyards from the records in Concord. We have entered her information and more onto a computer file, and a copy of this will eventually be held at the Town Offices, the Library, and the Historical Society for public information.

The Old Graveyards Association of New Hampshire has also been contacted, and we have a joint plan to have all this information on the Internet during this year. To add to the information, I will be using a GPS Receiver, so that each graveyard location will also be identified using this Global Positioning System, to enable interested people to easily find the sites.

We encourage anyone who wants to review the records when they become available, to submit any additions, changes, etc., to me so that the information can be updated on the master file to be held at the Town Office.

Respectfully submitted,
Sally D. Hibberd

PLANNING BOARD REPORT

During the "1998 Ice Storm", the Planning Board conducted the public hearing on the proposed 1998 Zoning Amendments. The hearing was moved to the Life Safety Building due to a power outage at the Town Office. With a small audience of Planning Board members only, all 16 amendments were finalized for town vote. Ultimately, all 16 amendments passed at the 1998 March Town Meeting.

During 1998, the site plan and subdivision regulations were amended and adopted. The Board also voted unanimously to increase the application fees. The Board reviewed the application fees from the 31 Lakes Region Towns and adjusted their fees to be more in line with other communities.

The Highway Commercial District located near Exit 22 was a hot topic in the spring of 1998. The Planning Board had been wrestling with the future of this District since it was created in 1965. In the 1980's a large portion of the District was changed to Agricultural and Residential District, which left 13 acres remaining (three separate parcels). The use of these parcels is severely limited by setbacks.

A public hearing was held June 4, 1998 to seek comments on whether the Highway Commercial District should be expanded or eliminated. The second purpose of the hearing was to review the existing permitted uses in the Highway Commercial District and gather input on either changing, expanding, or reducing the types of permitted uses.

A record number (85+) attended the hearing. The majority which offered comment, recommended that the area be retained as residential and agricultural. The Planning Board agreed to survey the town to gather further input on the general topic of commercial locations and permitted uses. This survey is currently being drafted and is proposed for mailing in 1999. This survey is considered crucial in determining how the town views what exists for a commercial base and what they would or would not like to see.

PLEASE TAKE THE TIME TO RESPOND.

In September the Planning Board met with other Town land use boards at a joint meeting to discuss possible amendments to the Town Zoning Ordinance. The Planning Board has proposed seven amendments for 1999 Town Meeting, taking into consideration suggestions made during the joint meeting. The amendments include defining elderly/handicapped/disabled housing and setting up provisions for elderly/handicapped/disabled housing. This amendment proposes to allow elderly/handicapped/disabled housing in Sanbornton as a permitted use. This proposal means allowing multiple dwelling units on one lot specifically for retired/assisted living housing. The Town Planner and a Sanbornton non-profit senior care group met frequently over the past year to outline

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proposed criteria and develop guidelines.

An additional amendment is to expand the permitted location for mobile homes/manufactured homes. Currently, mobile homes/manufactured homes are allowed in the Agricultural and Forest Conservation District. The proposed zoning amendment would allow only the newer models (with certain structural conditions) in the General Residence and Recreational Districts.

The Planning Board is heading into 1999 with a full agenda. The Board is proposing the community survey, but also will be starting the process of updating the Master Plan and Capitol Improvements Program. Each year there is a steady flow of subdivision, site plan, and boundary line adjustment applications submitted. The Board is in a great need for members. Please contact the Chairman or the Town Planner if you have an interest in becoming a member.

The following is a listing of the 1998 subdivisions, boundary line adjustments and site plans.

NAME/LOCATION	PROJECT	TAX MAP/LOT #
Hertel/Woodman Road	5 lot subdivision	10.46-2
Carlson/Knox Mountain Road	2 lot subdivision	13.7
Smith/Oak Hill Road	2 lot subdivision	4.46
Dullea & Gillis/Circle Point Road	Boundary Line Adj.	8.48 & 49
Blue Sky Enterprises/Kaulback Rd	Boundary Line Adj.	5.18 & 42
Hertel & Webster/ Woodman Road	Boundary Line Adj.	10.46-2 & 28
Hersh/Broadview Drive * <i>withdrawn</i>	Boundary Line Adj.	18.87-1 & 2
NE Forestry & Beale/Mountain Road	Boundary Line Adj.	1.11-2 & 10
Hanson & Morris/Range Road	Boundary Line Adj.	16.20-2 & 20-3
Penny Pitou Trust(s)/Route 132	Boundary Line Adj.	26.22 & 21-1d
Winnepesaukee River Basin Program/Lower Bay Rd	Site Plan - Antennae	24.21
Winnepesaukee River Basin Program/ Bay Road	Site Plan - Antennae	17.77
Miller/Perkins Road	Site Plan - Day Care	23.31
Ames & French/Route 3	Site Plan- Parking	24.22
Montessori School/Route 127	Site Plan - School	20.56
Nursery Rhymes/Gulf Road	Site Plan - Day Care	26.68-1
Pyareo Home Inc./Brook Road	Site Plan - Assisted Living	20.15-4

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FINANCIAL REPORT:

	1998 Appropriations	1998 Expenses	1999 Request
Planner	\$22,266.99	\$19,167.22	\$15,080.00
Secretary Salary	600.00	390.00	800.00
Secretary Mileage	50.00	37.80	50.00
Newspaper Notices	300.00	571.40	250.00
Miscellaneous	200.00	160.38	400.00
<i>(Postage, land use books, workshops)</i>			
	\$23,416.99	\$20,326.80	\$16,580.00

Respectfully submitted,
Kathleen Surowiec

POLICE DEPARTMENT REPORT

The year 1998 was another busy year for the Sanbornton Police Department, with over 3,500 calls for service and 424 arrests. The Department was able to install and begin to utilize its new computer system this year, thanks to a grant from the Federal Government, and you, the Taxpayers. The system has been a great addition to the agency. I would like to invite you all to visit our web page at **WWW.SANBORNTONPOLICE.ORG**. Please let us know what you think, and if we can make any changes to better serve you.

I would like to thank all of the area towns for their much needed assistance in 1998, and I would also like to thank the Officers of this Department for their dedication to service, as well as you, the Taxpayers for your continued support.

Sincerely yours,
Richard W. Robinson,
Chief of Police

FINANCIAL REPORT

1998 APPROPRIATION	\$ 223,896
1998 EXPENDITURE	\$ 233,040
1999 REQUEST	\$ 239,970

*(Police continued)***POLICE STATISTICS****CALLS FOR SERVICE**

ACCIDENTS	87
ALL OTHER	969
ANIMAL	222
ARSON	1
ASSIST	400
AUTO THEFT	4
BURGLARY	21
CRIMINAL MISCHIEF	44
CRIMINAL THREAT	8
CRIMINAL TRESPASS	23
DISORDERLY CONDUCT	133
DRUG OFFENSE	18
DRIVING WHILE INTOX.	22
DOMESTIC	113
FRAUD	17
HOUSE CHECK (REQ.)	110
LIQUOR LAWS	39
MOTOR VEHICLE	1,202
SEX OFFENSE	14
SUICIDE/UNTIMELY DEATH	3
RECOVERED PROPERTY	11
THEFT	66

TOTAL CALLS..... 3,527**ARRESTS and SUMMONSES**

AUTO THEFT	1
ASSAULT	11
BURGLARY	4
CHILD ENDANGERMENT	3
CRIMINAL MISCHIEF	8
CRIMINAL TRESPASS	11
DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED	22
DISORDERLY CONDUCT	46
DRUG OFFENSES	12
LIQUOR LAWS	67
MOTOR VEHICLE	207
RESISTING ARREST	11
WARRANTS	21

TOTAL ARRESTS 424**CLASSIFICATION OF ARRESTS**

FELONIES	14
MISDEMEANORS	126
VIOLATIONS	284

PUBLIC WELFARE DEPARTMENT REPORT

During the past year, assistance was provided for seventeen families in Sanbornton, primarily to help with rent, utilities and food. Ninety-nine vouchers were written for an expenditure of \$18,002.15.

Families also benefited from the Tilton-Northfield-Sanbornton Fund, the Crisis Reserve Fund, the Sanbornton Bay Homemakers, and individual contributions from community members.

Reimbursements to the Town for assistance totaled \$167.90.

The duties of this office were split this year, as Dolly Elliott served from March through September, and Jane Shattuck Fox from October through February. The newly elected Overseer will find this position to be both challenging and rewarding as they carry out the duties of this important Town function.

Respectfully submitted,

Dolly Elliott
Jane Shattuck Fox
Office of the Overseer of Public Welfare

FINANCIAL STATEMENT:

<u>1998 APPROPRIATION</u>	<u>1998 EXPENSES</u>	<u>1999 REQUEST</u>
\$25,000	\$18,002.15	\$25,000

RECREATION COMMISSION REPORT

As we reflect back upon 1998, we recall the many recreation programs enjoyed by Town residents of all ages. During 1998, the Recreation Commission organized and coordinated seventeen recreation programs. Listed and described below are the 1998 programs which the Commission has provided for our community:

BEACHES: The beach programs are a major task of the Commission. The preparation of both the Winnisquam and Hermit beaches for summer usage included the following: cleaning; raking; repairing rafts and anchoring them; painting, re-ropeing, and putting out safety buoys; arranging for telephone service, garbage pickup, water testing, toilet facilities, and the replacement of old picnic tables. The "carry in/carry out" policy was again used for trash management. Members of the Commission continued to monitor the beaches throughout the summer.

The Commission interviewed, hired, and supervised two Red Cross Certified Lifeguards to maintain safety at both beaches, seven days a week, throughout the summer. They were Jessica Landry and Jessica Pease.

WATER SAFETY INSTRUCTION: We were unable to offer lessons due to the lack of swimming instructors throughout the area.

SOCCER: 120 children, grades K-8, participated in the Sanbornton Soccer Program's 13th year. The awards ceremony was held at the Sanbornton Town Park field for the second year.

LASSIE LEAGUE: To help this program grow and become more productive, we joined with Tilton-Northfield and developed a Tri-Town Lassie League.

HALLOWEEN PARTY: Two hours of games, face-painting and much more was held again at the Sanbornton Town Hall.

SUMMER DAY CAMP: Day Camp was held at the Sanbornton Central School for ages 5-12 with 35 children attending. Lisa Hull, Robin Allar, Holly Olson, and Donna Proctor were hired to operate the program. The children had fun participating in field trips, arts & crafts, sports, and many other fun and learning experiences.

YOUTH BASKETBALL: Our program ended with 64 children participating at the end of March. We started the program November 7, 1998 with 105 children. The program started early so that our new Floor Hockey program could begin in January 1999.

(Recreation continued)

SENIOR CITIZEN TRIPS: We did not do any trips this year, as there does not seem to be much interest. If anyone is interested in Senior Trips or has ideas for other Senior Programs, please contact us.

ADULT BASKETBALL: Fifteen adults play basketball every Tuesday night at the Sanbornton Central School.

AEROBICS: We were unable to find an instructor this year. If anyone is interested or knows of anyone, please contact us.

BEFORE & AFTER SCHOOL: This program started their second year in September with 31 children. Lisa Hull, Robin Allar and Donna Proctor are the instructors. The Commission would like to thank them for a wonderful job.

TOWN PARK: There were improvements made at the Town Park this year. The baseball diamond was finished in time for the softball and baseball seasons. A Snack Shack was built and ready for use during soccer. The grass was reseeded, fertilized, and lime was spread. Work was begun to make the parking lot wider.

VOLLEYBALL: Adults join at the Sanbornton Central School on Thursday evenings. There are 12 who enjoy the game at this point.

TEEN NIGHT: Students in grades 7-12 are welcome to join at the Sanbornton Central School on Sunday evenings at 6:00 pm.

We also worked on starting a Ski Program at Gunstock and a Tri-Town Floor Hockey Program at our middle school. Both will start in January. Other programs that the Commission sponsored and/or assisted with included: skating lessons, family skating at the Tilton School Rink, support for the Sanbornton Youth Baseball League (190 children/16 teams), adult softball, tennis, and the Christmas Tree Lighting.

The Commission would like to thank the many community members who volunteered their time, energy and enthusiasm to this year's programs. We have had an all-time high in the number of volunteers this year. You are what makes it possible for the Town of Sanbornton to have such wonderful programs for the people to enjoy. The members of the Commission appreciate all the time, effort and support that you put in to help make all the programs the best they can be. We hope that we will see you all in 1999.

*(Recreation continued)***Goals for 1999 include the following:**

- 1) To further develop the baseball field at the Town Park.
- 2) To make more improvements on the Snack Shack.
- 3) To do improvements on the beach houses.
- 4) To develop a volleyball team for youths.
- 5) To look into sponsoring an indoor soccer team
- 6) To develop new programs.
- 7) Install a telephone line into Sanbornton Central School.

Respectfully submitted,
Dolly Elliott, Coordinator

FINANCIAL STATEMENT:

Description	1998 Expenses	1998 Income	1999 Budget
Salaries	\$25,381		\$29,382
Lifeguard (2)	4,159		7,626
Coordinator - 8.50/hr.	4,644		4,878
Day Camp Instructor (4)	6,825		7,000
B/A School Instructor (3)	9,753		9,878
Beaches	\$1,720	\$218	\$4,607
Telephone	540	50	800
Sanitation	330		400
Trash	50		65
Water Tests	54		72
Supplies	0		0
Advertising	26		75
Maintenance	570		700
American Red Cross	0		120
Equipment	150		175
Raft	0		2,200

(Recreation continued)

Programs	\$9,796	\$9,948	\$8,773
Senior Citizens	0		100
Halloween	178		200
Tennis	0		20
SYL Baseball	400		400
Adult Basketball	0	130	25
Youth Basketball	2,400	1,847	500
Youth Soccer	791	1,172	800
Lassie League	0		400
Aerobics	0		0
Ice Skating	0		20
Skiing	1,736	1,736	0
Volleyball	48	155	25
Teen Basketball	0	40	20
Floor Hockey	2,000	2,500	4,000
Adult Softball	0	25	20
Soccer Camp	2,243	2,243	2,243
Before & After School	\$892	\$12,554	\$1,025
Supplies	758		825
Telephone	134		200
Summer Day Camp	\$1,038	\$7,083	\$725
Supplies	380		525
Telephone	227		100
Transportation	431		100
Town Park	\$2,331		\$725
Sanitation	379		525
Snack Shack	1,952		200
Other	\$524	\$362	\$370
Interest		362	
Postage	9		20
Newsletter/Brochure	0		150
Miscellaneous	246		200
Checks	15		0
Letterhead Paper	10		0
Refund for swimming lessons & soccer	244		0
TOTALS	\$41,682	\$30,165	\$45,607

*(Recreation continued)***BUDGET TOTALS:**

1998 Expenses	\$32,591
Reimbursed to Town from N/L Fund	<u>- 15,991</u>
1998 Appropriation	\$16,600
N/L Fund Expenditure	<u>+ 25,082</u>
Total 1998 Expenses	\$41,682

Balance 1/1/98 in N/L Fund	\$ 9,382
N/L Fund 1998 Income	<u>+ 30,528</u>
Total Accrued for 1998	\$39,910
N/L Fund Expenditure	<u>- 25,082</u>
Balance 1/1/99 in N/L Fund	\$14,828

SANBORNTON PUBLIC LIBRARY REPORT

In January of 1998, the Library reopened after extensive repairs to the heating system. We are thankful for the use of the Lane Tavern as temporary quarters during the later part of 1997. Many readers found their way down there, but everyone was pleased to be back "home" in January. The Central School students and teachers were especially glad to have us nearby again.

Our circulation began to build up again through the first half of the year, and continued in a good upward direction throughout the rest of the year. New programs were offered this year. A 6 week story-time for pre-schoolers was offered in the spring. Guest readers participated each week. A local day-care attended the program, along with area children.

The Summer Program, LIVE FREE AND READ, had a good attendance, with the singing program of Judy Pancoast, called KID POP, being a favorite part of the program. Besides the local children, the Summer Day Camp "kids" also were present each week. A program for Caregivers for the Elderly was given by Toby Whalen in the fall and was enjoyed by all. The Senior Housing group has used the upstairs hall for meetings, along with our "regulars" the Girl Scouts, the Beekeepers, and the Band Members.

During the late summer and fall, a book sale and a Special Artisans sale took place in the front hall and in the main room. We wish to thank all those who generously gave items for this project. The money from this sale has been put in a Building Fund, for our future expansion. In December, a Christmas Party was given for our volunteers. This event was well attended and a thank-you gift was given to each volunteer. We appreciate all those who give of their time so willingly. It is a great help to the library.

Throughout the fall, the Trustees have discussed the possibility of expanding the library. An architect was contacted, and ideas are now developing on paper. A sub-committee has been formed, and plans are underway to have a drawing on display at the Town meeting, in March 1999. We will keep the public informed as we continue with drawings, securing space, and applying for grants and other funds that may be available. We are now using every available space as we continue to purchase materials for your enjoyment.

We will keep the public informed as we progress with the plans and developments on this project.

Respectfully submitted,
Priscilla Bodwell, Librarian

*(Library continued)***FINANCIAL STATEMENT:**

Budget Items	1998 Appr.	1998 Expenses	1999 Request
Audio Visuals	\$ 800	\$ 1,003.93	\$ 900.00
Books/Magazines	6,000	5,775.85	6,000.00
Equipment	600	2,124.88	600.00
Heat/Furnace	2,000	718.83	1,500.00
Improvements	1,000	1,501.03	1,000.00
Library Supplies	600	1,002.26	700.00
Maintenance	1,800	1,966.68	3,000.00
Miscellaneous	300	174.02	300.00
Postage	75	66.27	75.00
Programs	600	1,086.40	600.00
Salaries	39,973	40,668.19	43,595.65
SS/Medicare	3,058	3,111.04	3,241.48
Telephone	800	851.00	850.00
Travel/Educ/Asso	300	241.50	300.00
Utilities	800	810.62	800.00
Workman's Comp	190	131.00	190.00
Copier		977.40	
Technology Support	300	157.50	
Technical Equipment	2000		
TOTALS	\$61,196	\$62,368.65	\$63,952.13
		- 329.38	Health Ins.
		\$62,039.27	

Income	Est. 1998	Actual 1998	Est. 1999
Interest	\$ 437	\$ 257.59	\$ 200
Fines	250	279.59	200
Donations	200	100.00	200
Book Sale	200	144.25	200
Visuals	280	175.00	200
Trust Fund	2,000	2,000	2,000
TOTALS	\$3,367	\$2,956.43	\$3,000

ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT REPORT

The Sanbornton Zoning Board of Adjustment heard twenty cases in 1998, ten of which were seeking variances, and ten were applications for special exceptions.

The Zoning Board is a board of Town citizens who can hear appeals from individuals who feel wronged by inflexible zoning ordinances and the administrative decisions of other Town boards. Special Exceptions to our zoning ordinances can also be granted by the Zoning Board of Adjustment.

Coming to the Zoning Board provides the first step in the appeals process before entering the court system. Decisions of the Zoning Board are based on State law, legal precedent, and the Town Zoning Ordinance.

As stated in Article 1 of the Zoning Ordinance, the Sanbornton Zoning Board exists "for the purpose of promoting the health, safety, morals, prosperity, convenience or general welfare, as well as efficiency and economy in the process of development of the inhabitants of the town of Sanbornton, New Hampshire, by securing safety from fire, panic and other dangers, providing adequate areas between buildings and various rights-of-way, by preserving the rural charm now attached to our Town, the promotion of good civic design and arrangements, wise and efficient expenditure of public funds, and the adequate provision of public utilities and other public requirements, and by other means."

The Zoning Board meets on the third Wednesday of each month, as cases require, but applicants should inquire with the Clerk for an exact date in any given month. Applications for special exceptions or variances may be obtained from the Selectmen's Office. If an applicant needs assistance in completing the applications, please call the Clerk to schedule a time to meet at the Town Offices. Completed applications should be returned by the first day of a given month in order to be heard that month.

Respectfully submitted,
Natalie Rudzinskyj, Clerk
524-8243 (work)

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Case	Applicant	Location	TM#	Status
#285V	Wayne Crowley	Bayshore Dr.	24.40	Denied: 2/25/98
#286	Linda/Peter Pinet	Briarwood Ave.	12.77	Granted: 3/18/98
#287	Karen/Kevin Roy <i>*(subject to Health/Fire/Police inspection)</i>	Gulf Rd.	26.68-1	Granted: 5/13/98*
#288V	James Johnston	Stage Rd.	9.73	Granted: 5/13/98
#289	Richard Bennett	New Hampton Rd.	20.60	Granted: 4/15/98
#290V	Barry/Terry Hersh	Broadview Dr.	18.87-2	Granted: 5/13/98
#291V	Jane/Larry/Trisha Goss	Hermit Lake Rd.	3.112	Granted: 5/13/98
#292V	NH Dept of Environ- mental Services	Bay/Lower Bay Rd.	17.77/24.21	Granted: 6/24/98
#293V	Richard Grant	Bay/Lower Bay Rd.	18.65	Granted: 6/24/98
#294	William Daley	Bay Rd.	18.55	Granted: 6/24/98
#295	Kathryn Miller <i>*(subject to Police/Fire inspection)</i>	Perkins Rd.	23.31	Granted: 6/24/98*
#296	Margaret Bullard	Gray Rd.	12.38	Denied: 6/24/98
#297V	Pamela Esenwine	Hueber Dr.	3.157	Granted: 6/24/98
#298	Penelope Wilson & Cynthia Coffin	Poplar Rd.	16.69	Granted: 8/19/98
#299V	Roger/Carrie Smith	Hale Rd.	14.12-2	Granted: 9/30/98
#300	Russ/ Brenda Cederberg	Dearborn Rd.	16.37	Granted: 9/30/98
#301V	David/Barbara Pelletier	Lakeside Dr.	12.117	Granted: 10/21/98
#302V	Paul/Sandra Brewer	Hueber Dr.	3.008	Granted: 10/21/98
#303	C. Peter Dumont	Lower Smith Rd.	17.49	Withdrawn
#304V	Kevin Morrisette	Lower Bay Rd.	17.60	Granted: 12/16/98

(Note: "V" after case number indicates a Variance)

COMMUNITY ACTION PROGRAM REPORT

The Community Action Program provides utility, landlord/tenant, legal and health counseling, as well as referrals for housing, transportation and other life concerns. These support/advocacy services are not tracked. Following is a summary of services provided to Sanbornton residents by the Franklin Area Center of the Belknap-Merrimack Community Action Program:

<u>Service Description</u>	<u>Units of Service</u>	<u>Persons</u>	<u>Total Value</u>
Commodity Supplemental Food Program	145 Packages	12	\$3,124.75
Congregate Meals	251 Meals	8	\$1,503.49
Emergency Food Pantries	324 Meals	54	\$972.00
Family Planning	<i>(figures not available)</i>		
Fuel Assistance	33 Applications	69	\$14,745.17
Women, Infants & Children	332 Vouchers	28	\$12,782.00
Meals-On-Wheels	602 Meals	11	\$3,714.34
Senior Companion Program	185 Hours	2	\$843.60
CAP Transportation	100 Rides	7	\$469.00
Neighbor Helping Neighbor Fund	3 Grants	11	\$509.00
Homeless Emergency Assistance	1 Grant	5	\$139.13
GRAND TOTAL		207	\$38,802.48

Sincerely,
Tillie Lemire, Area Director

COMMUNITY HEALTH & HOSPICE REPORT

Community Health & Hospice is a community based, not for profit, home health and support service agency serving greater Belknap County. A community Board of Directors governs the agency. During fiscal year 1998, Community Health & Hospice received \$4,500 from the town of Sanbornton and provided 1086 services to its residents. Among those services, were home visits by registered nurses and physical therapists, home health aide services to provide personal care, hospice services to support those with terminal illness, and nursing and parenting support for those with young children.

The agency closed the year with a small operational loss due to costs associated with the hospice program and the homemaker services.

1998 Financial Statement:

Operating Revenue:

Net patient service revenue	\$2,381,663
Governmental and private grants	761,232
Other operating revenue	156,857

Total Operating Revenue.....\$3,299,752

Operating Expenses:

Salaries and benefits	\$2,556,500
Other operating expenses	847,801
Depreciation	24,177
Interest expense	1,164
Bad debt expense	2,434

Total Operating Expenses\$3,432,076

OPERATING LOSS \$(132,342)

Other Revenue and Gains

Contributions and fundraising, net	\$102,464
Investment income	14,025

Total Other Revenue and Gains, Net.....\$116,489

DEFICIT OF REVENUE OVER EXPENSES \$(15,835)

Sincerely,
Margaret Franckhauser
Executive Director

LAKES REGION PLANNING COMMISSION

LRPC, with a service area covering over 1,200 square miles in Belknap, Carroll, and Grafton Counties, is one of nine regional planning agencies established by state statute. We continued to have a very busy year. Our work program remains diverse with activities such as local planning assistance, circuit rider planning, regional information systems & mapping, transportation planning, economic development, and natural resources planning. We are funded through multiple sources including local dues contributed by member municipalities. LRPC was called upon many times each day to provide local technical advice, and to respond to requests for service. We have also continued to maintain a regular dialogue with those state agencies that depend on us for a linkage to the communities in the Lakes Region. Our goal remains to provide support and leadership to the region, its governments, businesses, and citizens.

A few of our accomplishments over the past year are as follows:

- ★ Co-hosted and organized three public Municipal Law Lectures, a public workshop on excavation taxes, and a workshop on the dollars and sense of conservation open-space zoning. Attended many local meetings for technical planning assistance.
- ★ Initiated a comprehensive outreach effort to identify preferences for areas of local natural, historic, and cultural significance in our 31 communities. Responded to two requests under the Developments of Regional Impact statute.
- ★ Prepared a report on trends in commercial, industrial, and residential development permits in the Lakes Region from 1992 to 1996.
- ★ Approved transportation enhancement projects for consideration by the NH Dept. of Transportation. Completed the first of a two-year Scenic Byway Plan for the Lakes Region Tour. Staffed the Route 16 Corridor Study. Created a video on Access Management using computer simulation.
- ★ Coordinated the 13th annual Household Hazardous Waste Collection (HHW), the largest single day, multi-site collection in New Hampshire. Renewed efforts to include a permanent HHW Collection Center.
- ★ Guided area economic development policy as a board member of the Belknap County Economic Development Center and the Newfound Economic Development Corporation.
- ★ Served as the Lakes Region's data clearinghouse for US Census, demographic and statistical data, available to community officials and the public. Updated sections of the regional land use map using geographic information system technology. Responded to requests from all member communities.
- ★ Amended LRPC's Bylaws to ensure that commissioner membership and meetings would include geographic balance throughout the region.
- ★ Represented the region before the International Forum of Coastal communities on Tourism and the Environment.

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- ★ Provided support to the US Americorps staff working with local landowners for water quality and land management. Staffed the Pemigewasset River Local Advisory Committee. Conducted reviews of flood plain ordinances.

We look forward to serving Sanbornton in the future. Feel free to contact the LRPC at 279-8171 for additional information, or whenever we can be of assistance.

Kimou Koulet, Executive Director
Lakes Region Planning Commission
lrpc@cyberportal.net

NEW BEGINNINGS-A WOMEN'S CRISIS CENTER REPORT

On behalf of New Beginnings - A Women's Crisis Center, I would like to thank the Town of Sanbornton for its continued support. Your \$1,000.00 allocation for 1998 assisted us in providing emergency services, advocacy and support to victims of domestic and sexual violence.

Publicity surrounding the issue of domestic and sexual violence and its devastating effects on families and children has resulted in a significant increase in requests for our services. Our records indicate that we had 5 contacts with Sanbornton residents in 1993, 11 contacts in 1994, 38 contacts in 1995, 50 contacts in 1996. In 1997 we had 703 total contacts with Sanbornton residents of whom, 26 were total clients, 29 total support group contacts, 4 total court contacts, 1 total community outreach events, and 643 educational outreach contacts. Our agency documented 4,479 requests for service in 1997, 115 contacts of which were unknown residence.

As you know, New Beginnings staffs a 24-hour crisis line solely with volunteers. We operate a full-time shelter for women and children and have safe homes for male victims; provide support and advocacy at courts, hospitals, police stations, and social service agencies. New Beginnings offers peer support groups for victims of domestic violence and sexual assault; assists with needs assessments, case management and housing options; and does community outreach and education programs for youth, teens and adults. All our services are provided free of charge.

We are members of the statewide NH Coalition Against Domestic and Sexual Violence, promoting statewide networking and resource sharing among domestic violence and sexual assault programs. The Coalition is the evaluating body and administrator of state and federal contracts that provide subsidiary funding for member programs, and advocates for legislative change that effects victims of domestic and sexual assault.

We greatly appreciate the solid support of the Sanbornton community. We are dedicated to human service, social responsibility and fiscal accountability. New Beginnings represents a very finite portion of the Sanbornton budget, but the returns are immeasurable. We welcome your participation in our efforts to insure a world of safety for our children and ourselves. Volunteers are always needed and the opportunity to serve is fulfilling and satisfying.

Sincerely,
Kathy Keller, Director

WINNISQUAM FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT

The Winnisquam Fire Department answered 341 calls for assistance during 1998. The breakdown of our calls by basic type and location are listed below:

	Belmont	Sanbornton	Tilton	Meredith
Structure Fires	11	2	4	0
Chimney Fires	5	2	0	0
Alarm Activations	29	13	0	0
CO Detectors	4	1	1	0
Vehicle Fires	3	2	1	0
Brush Fires	5	4	1	0
Medical	42	34	47	1
Motor Vehicle	11	10	17	0
Other	24	4	12	0
TOTALS	134	72	83	1

Winnisquam only - 40 calls

Mutual Aid Calls - Laconia, Gilford, and Gilmanton - 11 calls

We are pleased to announce the delivery of our new Freightliner Pumper. Since its arrival in February, it has proven its worth, as it has already responded to a number of structure fires in our primary response area and in mutual aid.

The Department spent \$11,000 this year refurbishing our 1981 International engine without asking for any additional funding from the towns. Also, \$2,000 was spent rebuilding a military M-37 4X4 to be used as our forestry unit.

We have a total of 26 members in the Department with 6 Intermediate EMTs and 5 Basic EMTs, and in addition, one of our members has advanced to the Paramedic Level. This allows our ambulance response to be at the Intermediate Level on most calls, with some at the Paramedic Level.

We are asking the towns for funding to be provided this year and next, towards the replacement of our present ambulance, which will be 20 years old next year. The WFD will be contributing at least \$25,000 towards the cost of the new unit, raised through large and small donations we have received over the past years.

We thank all of you for your continued support of our work in the communities, so that we may continue our 57 year tradition of being there when help is needed.

Rosanna Leighton, Secretary
Winnisquam Fire Department

YOUTH ASSISTANCE PROGRAM REPORT

The Youth Assistance program is part of a network of similar community based programs throughout the state. Court diversion and prevention programs have been credited by courts, judges and police as a major tool in the effort to prevent youthful criminal activity. The latest statistical review for Northfield, Sanbornton and Tilton has shown that 93% of youth who complete their court diversion contracts with the Youth Assistance Program stayed out of further trouble with the law. This figure was obtained through a process used by court diversion programs all over the state and handled in the Concord office.

Youthful offenders in the Program benefit when parents support their efforts by helping them take responsibility for their actions. If even a few youths are prevented from entering the court system and possible further placement, our communities have saved enormously in human potential, manpower and financial resources.

The Challenge Training for youths caught with or using drugs, alcohol and/or drug paraphernalia is also of benefit for young people who have family members or friends in trouble with illegal drugs. Some young people take the Challenge as a community service project with the hope that their knowledge and sharing will make a difference to others. Young people are referred by schools, police, or families. Some are self-referred. Money for this training comes from the Governor's Drugfree Schools and Communities Grant.

In 1998, the Youth Assistance Program experienced a major, long sought-after change. New space was made available to us in offices owned by the First Savings Bank of New Hampshire. Our new location is 287 Main Street, Tilton. Our mailing address is PO Box 3068, Northfield, NH 03276.

Our new office space has already made a difference in the morale of staff, volunteers, and clients. We appreciate the opportunity as a nonprofit organization to use this space for the time being at a reduced cost.

Once again, we wish to express appreciation to our many volunteers, the police, school personnel, and townspeople who support the youth of our communities.

Respectfully submitted,
Martha C. Douglass, Director
Dawn B. Shimberg, Associate Director

(Youth Assistance Program continued)

Board of Directors:

Marion Abbott	Hal Graham	Gail Sharpe
Janice Boudreau	Marilyn Hennessey	Dick Smart
Kent Chapman	Scott Hilliard	Rick Stewart
Norman Couture	Ellen Lang	
Melissa Duffy	Linda Pardy	

STATISTICS:

Court Diversion Cases	42
Counseling Cases	14
Court Ordered Services	9
Substance Abuse Training	38
Other Prevention Activities	31
Adult Participation	21
Total Youth Participation	134

**BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF SANBORNTON
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1998**

DATE	PLACE	NAME OF CHILD	MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME FATHER'S NAME
03-07-1998	Laconia	Sierra Danielle Laughy	Cynthia Herrick Adams Daniel Craig Laughy
04-27-1998	Franklin	Allison Marian Auger	Lisa Marie Carrozza Robert Paul Auger
04-27-1998	Laconia	Sarah Anne Kaar	Anne Veronica McCarthy Mark Dean Kaar
05-31-1998	Concord	Iantha Katherine Beane	Ann Dorshimer Mathios David Craige Beane
06-12-1998	Laconia	Cameron Scott Atherton	Stacey Ann Bruno Scott Alfred Atherton
06-17-1998	Concord	Christian Michael Smith	Deborah Lee Wither Joel Richard Smith
07-07-1998	Concord	Matthew Keith Carlson	Tina Carlson Michael Carlson
07-31-1998	Concord	Joshua Adam Dow	Gwendolyn Dow Brian Dow
08-01-1998	Franklin	Macayla Ann Skeats	Amy Lee Merchant Michael Christopher Skeats
08-30-1998	Concord	Alexander William Latham	Elizabeth Oellers Mark Latham
09-23-1998	Laconia	Connor Dane Archibald	Cassandra Jean Wolfe Kevin Wayne Archibald
11-24-1998	Laconia	Olivia Katrine Pike	Rebecca Lynn Rowe William Jonathan Pike

**MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF SANBORNTON
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1998**

NAMES	DATE	RESIDENCE
Steven E. Griffin Catherine Marie Crear	01-09-98	Sanbornton, NH Tilton, NH
Glen Alden Bradley Janice Marie Raia	02-14-98	Saratoga, NY Saratoga, NY
James F. Drury III Theresa C. Turcotte	03-07-98	Sanbornton, NH Sanbornton, NH
Chung C. Ghiu Tanya Lynn Robinson	03-30-98	Laconia, NH Sanbornton, NH
John P. Begin Patricia E. Goss	05-01-98	Manchester, NH Manchester, NH
Kenneth Bernard Durgin Cheryl Diane Allen	05-31-98	Sanbornton, NH Laconia, NH
Robert Joseph Beaulieu Cynthia Katherine Brooks	06-27-98	Sanbornton, NH Sanbornton, NH
Joseph Guy Giunta Polly Victoria Lambert	06-27-98	Sanbornton, NH Sanbornton, NH
Anthony M. Souza Kimberly A. Walrath	07-04-98	Sanbornton, NH Sanbornton, NH
Stephen Michael Surowiec Kathleen Merriam	07-11-98	Sanbornton, NH Sanbornton, NH
Scott A Mango Mi'kel Blout	07-18-98	Sanbornton, NH Sanbornton, NH
Scott Paul Hardy Mary Elizabeth Pollet	07-25-98	Sanbornton, NH Sanbornton, NH
Carlton Emil Helming Mary Ann Moffatt	07-25-98	New Haven, CT Hartford, CT
Daniel Odilon Cormier Sally Jane Cormier	07-30-98	Sanbornton, NH Sanbornton, NH

(Marriages Registered continued)

NAMES	DATE	RESIDENCE
Daniel G. Stroud Diane I. Dubord	08-08-98	Sanbornton, NH Sanbornton, NH
Alex Chester Phelps Jodi Karyn Abbott	08-29-98	Sanbornton, NH Sanbornton, NH
Stephen Michael McKay Michelle Marie Giunta	09-06-98	Suffolk, MA Suffolk, MA
James William Collins Lois Elaine Vaillancourt	09-13-98	Sanbornton, NH Farmington, NH
Donald J. Schmal Elizabeth Ann Poucher	09-27-98	Marion, IL Viau, FL
Frank Conrad Dorval Cris Anne Cannuli	10-04-98	Sanbornton, NH Sanbornton, NH
Christopher W. Bartz, Jr. Andrea V. Cyr	10-17-98	Sanbornton, NH Sanbornton, NH
Jason Michael Disario Kimberly Marie Doucette	10-17-98	Suffolk, MA Suffolk, MA
Thomas Joseph McCabe, Jr. Margaret Emily Sova	11-26-98	Sanbornton, NH Sanbornton, NH

**DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF SANBORNTON
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1998**

NAME OF DECEASED	DATE	PLACE	FATHER'S NAME MOTHER'S NAME
Henry Jonas Welcome, Jr.	02-15-1998	Sanbornton	Henry Jonas Welcome, Sr. Beatrice Sweeney
Louise Ida Hewitt	02-19-1998	Sanbornton	Zoel Blanchette Lela Savage
John Paul Chisholm	03-18-1998	Sanbornton	Alex Chisholm Anne Ellis
Julia H. Dalton	04-21-1998	Franklin	James W. Cook Helen C. Calley
Jerome Ernest Brodeur	04-24-1998	Laconia	Arthur Brodeur Isabelle Martel
Benjamin J. Ahlgren	05-24-1998	Gilford	Stephen Ahlgren Mary Nelson
Jacob K. Wakefield	05-24-1998	Meredith	Bradley Wakefield Lorna Starling
Warren Harding Wilson	05-24-1998	Franklin	Everett W. Wilson Rosetta S. Southwick
Frank Thomas Rand	07-09-1998	Franklin	Thomas Rand Sylvia Nelson
Henry Charles Brunelle	07-11-1998	Sanbornton	Arcol Brunelle Elodie Marie Favreau
Maria Domenica Cinquini	07-23-1998	Laconia	Carlo Bartolozzi Italia Giannoni
Laurie E. VanValkenburgh	07-23-1998	Laconia	Haven Sanborn Mildred Blaisdell
James Harold Swancott, Sr.	08-04-1998	Laconia	Lew M Swancott Catherine Nagel
John Edward Sheehan, Jr.	08-04-1998	Sanbornton	John Edward Sheehan, Sr. Ida Mae Auger

(Deaths Registered continued)

NAME OF DECEASED	DATE	PLACE	FATHER'S NAME MOTHER'S NAME
James Vernel Champeaux	08-10-1998	Sanbornton	Vernel C. Champeaux Betty Cox
Judith Perkins	09-10-1998	Franklin	Nathan Weinberg Helen Lowitz
Jane Anne Swanson	10-15-1998	Sanbornton	Henry Blanchard Anna Simcox
Earl Lester Leighton, Sr.	10-23-1998	Laconia	Albert H. Leighton Ruby P. Gilman





❖ BUSINESS HOURS ❖

Selectmen's Office

Monday	8:00 am - 4:00 pm
Monday - Board of Selectmen's Meeting	Begins at 6:30pm
Tuesday	8:00 am - 4:00 pm
Wednesday	-----CLOSED-----
Thursday	8:00 am - 4:00 pm
Friday	8:00 am - 4:00 pm

Town Clerk-Tax Collector

Monday	8:00 am - 7:30 pm
Tuesday	8:00 am - 4:00 pm
Wednesday	-----CLOSED-----
Thursday	8:00 am - 4:00 pm
Friday	8:00 am - 4:00 pm

Transfer Station/Recycling Center

Saturday	7:30 am - 4:00 pm
Wednesday - Winter (weather permitting)	12 noon - 4:00 pm
Wednesday - Summer (mid-June on)	7:30 am - 4:00 pm

Sanbornton Public Library

Tuesday	9:00 am - 5:00 pm
Wednesday	1:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Thursday	1:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Friday	9:00 am - 5:00 pm
Saturday	10:00 am - 12 noon

Sanbornton Post Office

Monday - Friday	7:30 - 1:30 and 3:00 - 5:00
Saturday	8:00 am - 12 noon

❖ MEETING SCHEDULE ❖

Board of Selectmen	Every Monday	6:30 pm
Budget Committee	3 rd Tuesday	7:00 pm
Building Needs/Town Park Committee	1 st Tuesday	7:00 pm
Cemetery Committee	4 th Thursday	7:00 pm
Conservation Commission	2 nd Thursday	7:00 pm
Highway Safety/TAC (at L/S Bldg)	4 th Thursday	7:00 pm
Library Trustees (at Library)	3 rd Tuesday	6:30 pm
Planning Board - Work Session	1 st Thursday	7:30 pm
- Hearings	3 rd Thursday	7:30 pm
Recreation Commission	2 nd Wednesday	7:00 pm
Trustees of Trust Funds	3 rd Wednesday	6:30 pm
Zoning Board of Adjustment	3 rd Wednesday	7:00 pm

*All meetings are held in the Town Offices unless otherwise noted,
and the public is always welcome to attend.*

